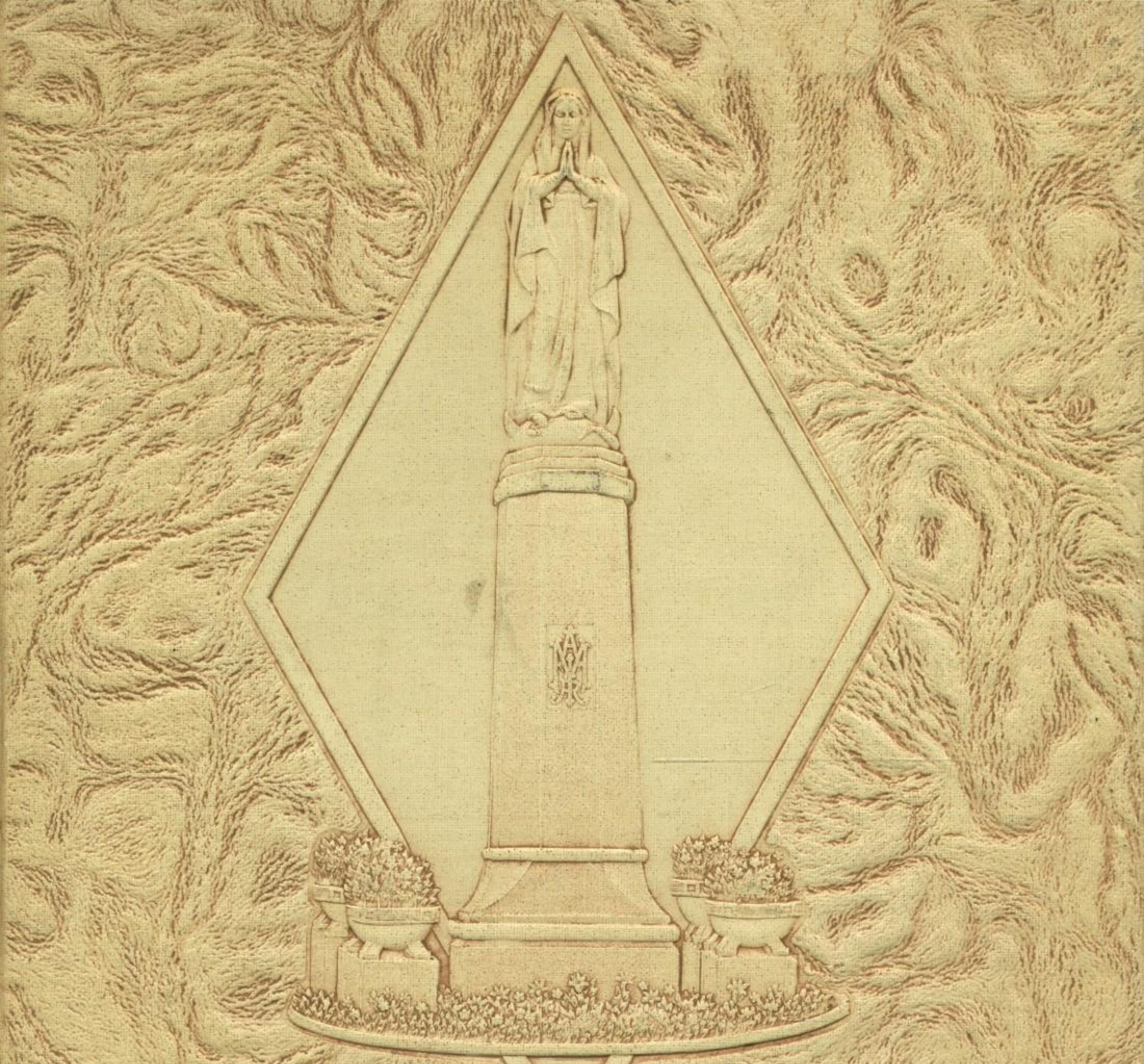

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RENARD

"Comment alley-voos-"
(How are you)
Joe Becker

Dear Bill
You're so slow in school
otherwise you wouldn't
be it so much
Roger

Dear "Jingers"
Remember the
swell times we
had for the last
two yrs. Best of
luck to a swell
but very slow
boy "Joe"

Hi Bill
Lot's of Luck
Ann

Hey Bill,
See you next
year!
Maryellen

When you play end on a football team
You cry'in out loud, be on the beam
Put the Appleton Terrors away
But them down and make them stay.
"Easy"

Hey Bill don't let "worry you. You do all right by
yourself as far as sports go
Wally

Dear Bill,
I hope I get next to you in at least one class next year. I don't think I'd ever pass my tests if I didn't have you to help. Lots of fun as a Senior (You hope)
"Cooty"

Dear Bill,
I haven't been in hardly any of your class but I hope we get together next year.
Elaine John

Best of luck as a Senior.
Roly Stommel

Howdy;
As I sit in front of you, and present a beautiful view, How you to recall in years to come, When you're on top and I'm a bum.
Bill Stubles

Dear Bill,
I'll never forget how you used to climb up in the tree in front of our house and whistle. Remember? I sometimes wonder how you ever got down again without breaking your neck or something.
Helen

Bill,
Well - I sure do hope you are in home room with me again, so we can argue some more & I hope to see you more. Loads of luck cause you sure to need it.
"Mary Lou"

Dear Cousin Bill,
Can't think of anything wrote now. I hope you will be in the same home-room again next year.
Gene

Hi! Bill, how's the old boy? Oh?? Well here's wishing loads of luck to our future "Basket-ball" player!

"Jo" '45

Dear Bill,
Take it easy with the female
girls, why not? I come around when
you're ashamed ???

P.S. Write Soon.

The Sir Galahad Edition
of the

Renard

MCMXLIV

Dear Bill,
Say, this is really some
book you got here.
If I had mine here,
but you know how
some critics are.
Take good care of
your self during
the summer and
don't let all your
girl friends beat you
up. (as they could).
Good Luck to
a swell kid.

Corky

P.S. let your wife write me

THE

RENARD

presented by the

Senior Class of 1944

and published by

St. Mary High School

Menasha

Wisconsin

Dear Bill,
I never saw much of you in school, kept in the last study hall. You must have read every book in the library. Well, I wish you success even if you don't need it. Here's hoping!

Your pal,
Laurent Rothe "44"

Sir Galahad
and
the Quest of the
Holy Grail

The Theme

We, the Class of 1944 have chosen as the theme of our Renard, "Sir Galahad" the knight of the immortal poem by Lord Tennyson. Sir Galahad is the knight and model of purity, the knight and defender of the oppressed, the knight of old who went in quest of the Holy Grail. As a recompense for his great purity of heart he was rewarded with the vision of the Holy Grail. This vision was not attained except by a steadfast perseverance. This persistency, this divine enthusiasm are evidenced in the words of the poet,

All armed, I ride
What'er betide
Until I find the Holy Grail.

We have completed our course of studies within the hallowed precincts of our dear Alma Mater, and like other Galahads we go forth into the thicket of life's perilous ways, encountering the dangers and disappointments of this modern, war-torn world. Yes, pure in heart and noble in spirit we venture out to undertake the quest of the Holy Grail . . . our eternal salvation. Our kind Pastor, our loved Principal and our teachers sought ever to imprint deeply upon our minds that the spiritual and the intellectual gifts must ennoble our lives.

By their kindly advice they urged us ever onward.

O just and faithful knight of God!
Ride on, the prize is near.

With a religious and intellectual training as we have received here at dear St. Mary's, we are able to say with Sir Galahad of old:

My strength is as the strength of ten
Because my heart is pure.

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Dedication

We, the Class of '44 with deepest gratitude dedicate this edition of our yearbook to you, Venerable School Sisters of Notre Dame.

You have ever guided us through our scholastic career, here at dear St. Mary's. . . You have devoted your lives to our spiritual and temporal welfare.

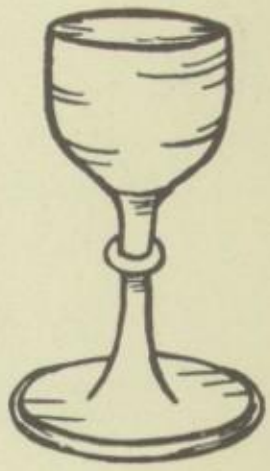
As Sir Galahad of old persistently sought the Holy Grail and was rewarded with its Holy Vision so may you loved teachers, as the faithful followers of the great Master be granted to possess the Beatific Vision in the celestial kingdom which you so justly deserve.

To you, we fondly, gratefully dedicate this . . . OUR RENARD.

Our Lady

The Sweet Madonna
Stands guardian of the campus
And vigil keeps
Of dear St. Mary's.
Night and day,
As the years roll by
She stands waiting . . .
Watching
For us, her clients . . .
Her children.
She listens to our tales
Of happiness . . .
Our tales of woe.
Oh, Sweet Mother, pray for us
Now
And in the days to come.
Protect us
With thy mantle of blue.
Help us to live
Like Jesus
Like you . . .
Sweet Mother Mary
Remember us . . .
Always.

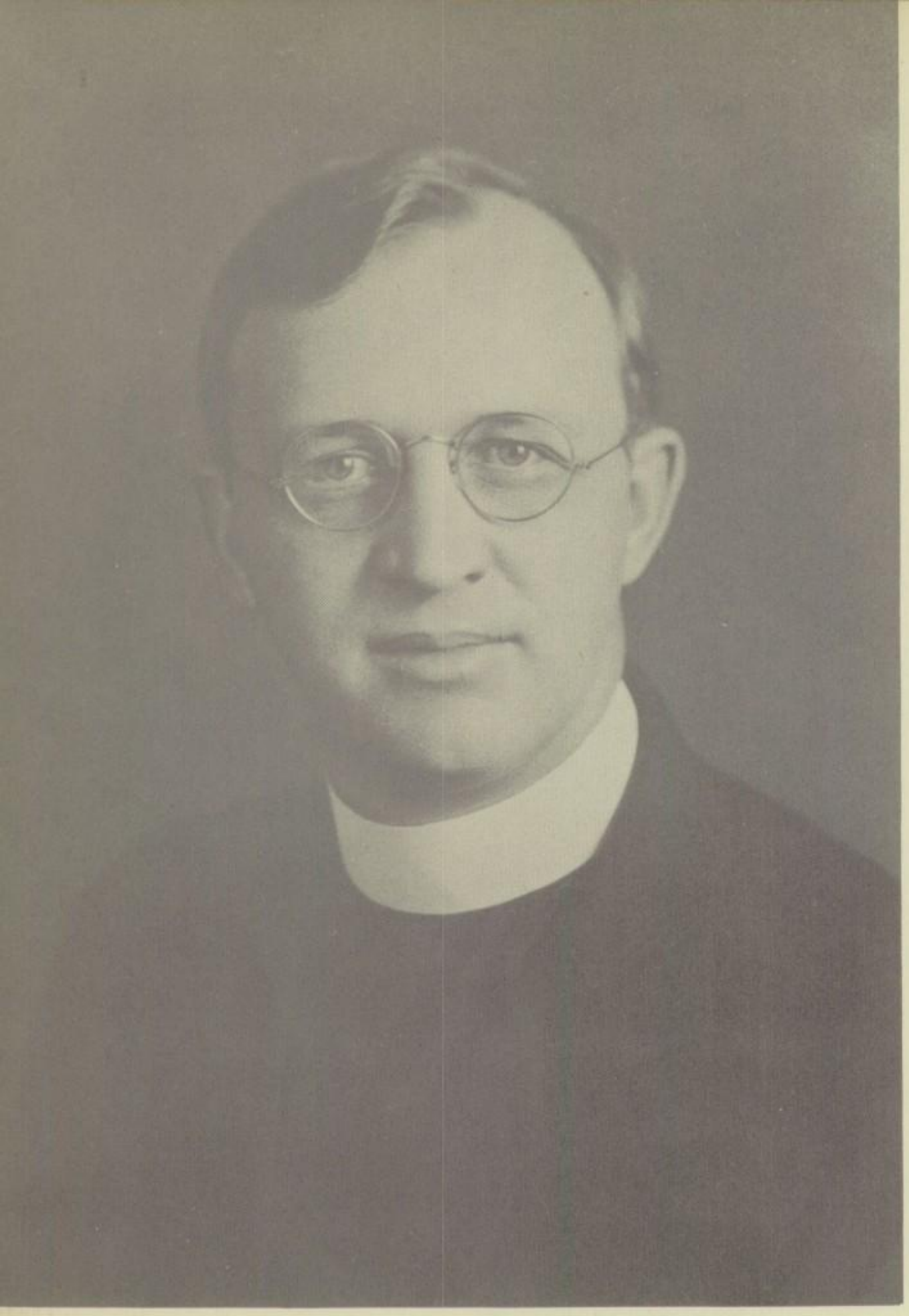
RT. REV. MONSIGNOR JOHN J. HUMMEL

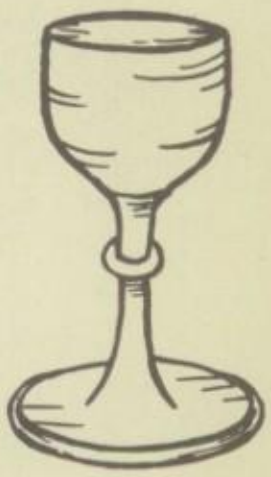


MONSIGNOR HUMMEL
THE PRIEST

His years are full and rounded,
He sought and would not fail.
Life's greatest treasure—he won it!
Each day he lifts that Holy Grail.

He needs no introduction because he is no stranger. He is Monsignor Hummel and our loved, good friend. No one person upheld and advocated chivalry, the purity and courtesy of knighthood, exemplified in Sir Galahad, as has our Right Reverend Pastor. Eighty-one years of serving God and denying self! A challenging record for any knight! We might call him our spiritual advisor, but we, like him, do not like high-sounding names. He was our spiritual friend, counselor and Father. We like to bridge the formalities and call him Father, in the truest sense of the word. He was a constant source of strength and security to us. As the poet so aptly describes Galahad, "His strength is of ten, because his heart was pure." The "Holy Grail" he has taught us to seek is perfect Catholicism. Unfailingly, unswervingly, his life has been a challenge for us to follow. Under the blue and white banner of the St. Mary he loves, we have been taught by him to be better Christians, devoted children of Our Blessed Lady, and not only to be good Catholics but to live Catholicism. That sums up his work—that is the man—Right Rev. Monsignor Hummel, our beloved Pastor. May our Blessed Lady beseech her Divine Son to shower His blessings upon him. We can say no more; let it suffice, in conclusion, to say—We love him deeply!





REV JOSEPH A. BECKER, Principal

To no one man do we owe so much as to our beloved Principal, Rev. Father Joseph Becker. There has been no day but that he has not had our best interests at heart, no minute of any hour of that day that he has not been with us in spirit. Perhaps, as we leave this our loved Alma Mater, we will feel quite lost without him. To him, we may apply the words of Holy Scripture "He will be with you at all times." He has sent us out, well armed, in quest of the Holy Grail, whatever that goal in life may be. He has given us the armor; he has given us the weapons and the steed, and of his own rich, practical knowledge many times over. When our Rev. Principal meets his God, he can truthfully say of us, in the words of Sir Galahad, "For them I battled till the end, to save them from shame and evil." It is our sincere prayer that our Lord may grant him the Vision of the Holy Grail. It behooves us, to say in closing, that our hearts are overfilling with a deep, satisfying certainty in the knowledge that his has not been a work in vain. His challenge, "Know your Religion," will become our weapon because it has been his unstinting, steadfast intention that our lives should be filled with the truths of Christ and with the things of Christ. Yes, Rev. Father Becker has sent us out as other Galahads to conquer self and the wicked world. By living good, holy lives . . . that is the only way we can repay him gratefully . . . that is the only way Rev. Father Becker would want it. We THANK YOU.

Pep, vigor, action and dynamic intensity. Spice well with a wonderful humor, absorbing enthusiasm and a heady zest for good, clean fun and Catholic Action and you have a personage who, suspiciously enough, resembles our dear "pal" Father Marx. We must admit that he puts us to shame with his own youthful vim and vigor. Perhaps in remembrance here, we should use stiff, grateful words, but it is quite out of keeping with the man himself, so we will drop them. We're going to miss those jokes, those long, rib-tickling stories that only he could build up to a masterpiece of suspense with surpassing skill. They say we are quite young, and that the best parts of our lives lie ahead of us, but Father Marx has made these high school years so full and rich with long-lived, happy experiences that we won't ever be quite able to forget them or him. A lively spirit of comradeship and camaraderie is what he leaves us and it is a great, endearing gift. We cannot wish him anything better than a life full of happiness in serving God. Perhaps his Grail has been sought for and won. If not, let us say, in the words of Tennyson about Sir Galahad, "O just and faithful knight of God, ride on! The prize is near." Whenever we think of our dances, basketball games and social events we must invariably think of him, for he was so much a part of them. We can truthfully say of Father Marx, that he put the "Pep" into Pep Meetings. Some writers say that they love "to capture the man" and picture him as he is. We'd like to have one of them tell how vigorous, how full of dash and cheer our good friend was. We, who came to know him well, marked how the black eyes danced as did the spirit within. And yet there was so much earnestness in his desire that through fun and companionship, we come closer to God and His Blessed Mother. Wherever we go, whatever we do in whatever land we find ourselves, we will remember those happy, wonderful days and the man who made them so—Father Marx!

REV. BENEDICT MARX, Athletic Director

School Officers

James Murphy

Dorothy Boehnlein

Mary Dietz

James McKenzie

President	James Murphy
Vice-president	Dorothy Boehnlein
Secretary	Mary Dietz
Treasurer	James McKenzie

Tribute to Our Parents

Mother and Dad! The representatives of God upon earth! Our sweet, loving guardians, directing our footsteps toward our eternal goal—heaven. It is they who gave us life, protected, counseled and educated us. They encouraged us when our steps were faltering, when we were uncertain as to which way to turn, they were at our side. They taught us charity, love of neighbor and cheerful self-sacrifice. To them, we owe our characters. Nothing we can do will ever repay them for their heroic deeds, nothing but deep unfailing love and obedience.

Dearest Parents, your loving care and affection will remain with us forever and your kind advice and encouragement will always be our guide in the uncertain future.

Our hearts go out to you, dear parents. You have fulfilled your duty as God's representatives conscientiously, lovingly. For the many long years you have tirelessly labored we extend our deepest gratitude. We fervently hope and ardently pray that you will be amply rewarded, not only in this world, but in the blessed home to come where you will everlastingly be united with Him, whom you have loved and obeyed throughout your years on earth. May God grant you the Vision of the Holy Grail.

We thank you, again and again, for everything, and may our lives be your great reward.

Seniors

KENNY BARKER
"Yachts"

Full of fun and mischief;
Not taking life too seriously.

Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 4; Renard Staff 4; Manual Training 2, 3; Intramural Basketball 1, 2.

GEORGE BAYER
"Tractor"

Never do today
What you can put off until tomorrow.

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Living Rosary 2; Renard Staff 4; Intramural Basketball 1, 2.

KATHLEEN BINDER
"Katie"

Born with wit and wisdom;
Portraying it in a sparkling personality.

Entered St. Mary's 2; from St. Vincent's Oshkosh; Sodality 2, 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids 2, 3; Class Officer 3, 4; Living Rosary 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Dramatics 2, 3; Victory Corps 3; Prom Committee 3; Renard Staff 4; Class Play 4.

DOROTHY BOEHNLEIN
"Do"

She's a friend in need
A friend indeed.

Cecelia Singers 1, 2, 3, 4; President 4; Girl's Club 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids 3, 4; Prom Committee 3; Eucharistic Committee 3; Social Committee 2; School Officer—Vice President 4; Class Officer—President 2, 3; Girl's Basketball 3; Living Rosary 4; Christmas Play 1; Christmas Chorus 2, 3; May Crowning 3; Renard Staff 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Victory Corps 3; Honor Society 3; Vested Choir 4; Class Play 4.

SYLVESTER BOEHNLEIN
"Fox"

A lad of quietness
And hidden humor.

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 3; Acolyte 1, 2, 3, 4; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4.

EARL BRANTMEIER
"Brains"

Not a lad of studies
But willing to help at all times.

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1; Boxing 1, 2; Intramural Basketball 1, 2; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 3; Living Rosary, Bowling 2, 3.

REYNOLD BRANTMEIER
"Reynaldo"

Ready for anything, work or play
He's a jolly good scout most any day.

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Bowling Championship 3; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Prom Committee 3; Renard Staff 4; Social Committee 3; Victory Corps 3.

RICHARD BROEREN
"Dick"

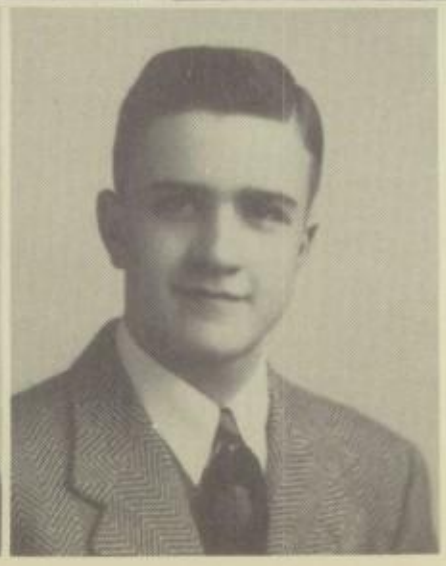
He's full of mischief and full of fun
But he's a pal to everyone.

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Bowling 2, 3; Intramural Basketball 2, 3; Prom Committee 3; Captain of Champion Team 3; Democracy Committee 1; Class Secretary 1, President 3; Vice President 4; Holy Name 1, 2, 3, 4; Living Rosary 2, 3, 4; Catholic Truth Chairman 3; Renard Staff 4; May Procession 3, 4; Tennis 2, 3; Social Committee 4; Choir 4; S.S.C.A. 2; Pep Club 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Victory Corps 3; Aviation Cadet U. S. Army Air Corps Reserve 4; Class Play 4.

RICHARD BROWN
"Dick"

"*A friend and good fellow*
To all who know him."

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Victory Corps 3.



JOHN BRUNKE
"J.B."

Haste makes waste
So why hurry?

Entered St. Mary's 2; Acolyte 1, 2, 3, 4; Bowling 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Social Committee 3; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Renard Staff 4; Football 4; Band 4; S.S.C.A. 3; Dramatics 1; Pep Band 4; Baseball 1; Basketball 1; May Crowning 3; Vested Choir 4; Class Play 4.

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MARY ELLEN CHESLOCK
"Chessie"

Seemingly quiet,
But merry to those who know her.

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Victory Corps 3; Bowling 2; Knights and Handmaids 1, 2, 3, 4; Social Committee 1, 3; Renard Staff 4.

MARGARET CISKE
"Fuzzy"

Small and carefree
Always ready for fun.

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids 2, 3; Prom Committee 3; Girl Scouts 1, 2, 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Living Rosary 1, 2; May Procession 1, 2, 3; Renard Staff 4; Social Committee 2; Victory Corps 3, 4; Girl Scout Treasurer 1.

JAMES CLINTON
"Jim"

A man of ideas
And the will to fulfill them.

Entered St. Mary High 4; Pep Club 4; Renard Staff 4; Sodality 4.

LORRAINE COOPMAN
"Coopie"

All wisdom does not come from books,
Why study and spoil your looks.

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 3; Victory Corps 3; Knights and Handmaids 1, 2, 3, 4; Social Committee 1, 3; Renard Staff 4.

ELMER DAHL
"Crooner"

Bing Crosby has nothing on him
He can croon, too.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Boxing 1, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Bowling 3; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Social Committee 2.

RUTH DARE
"Ruthie"

A student true, a smile too.

Cecilia Singers 1; Living Rosary 1; Our Lady Committee 1; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Victory Corps 3; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Librarian 4.

HELEN DAY
"Sis"

Books and pens don't bother me,
Everyone should be free.

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Christmas Play 1, 2; Cecilia Singers 1; Handmaids of the Blessed Sacrament 1, 2, 3, 4; Bowling 2; Class Secretary 2; Victory Corps 3; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4.

CAROL DE BROUX
"Debby"

French as her name
Someday she'll rise to fame.

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids 1, 2, 3, 4; Social Committee 2; Living Rosary 4; Renard Staff 4; Perpetual Adoration 3; Victory Corps 3.

RICHARD DE BRUIN
"Dick"

An ambitious elocutionist
With an astounding vocabulary.

Acolyte 1, 2, 3, 4; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary of Sodality 3; Vice Prefect 4; Social Committee 2; Class Officer —President 1; Vice President 2; Living Rosary 3, 4; Christmas Play 1; Renard Staff 4; Perpetual Adoration 3; S.S.C.A. 2, 3; Victory Corps 3; May Crowning 2, 3; Band 1; Knights and Handmaids 3; Honor Society 3, 4; Class Play 4.

ROBERT DE BRUIN
"Baldy"

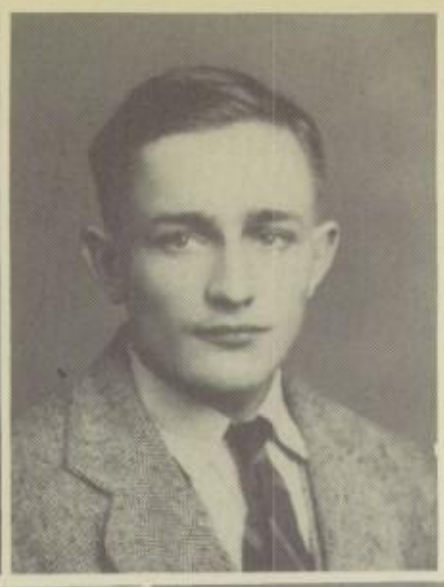
Always in a hurry,
But never has a worry.

Server 1, 2, 3, 4; Holy Name 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Prom King 3; Renard Staff 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; S.S.C.A. 3; Victory Corps; Knights and Handmaids of the Blessed Sacrament.

BARBARA DEMENY
"Barb"

A willing and dependable helper;
A friend to have and hold.

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Our Lady's Committee 1, 2; Eucharist Committee 3; Social Committee 2, 4; Cecilia Singers 1, 2, 3, 4; Christmas Chorus 1, 2, 3; May Procession 1, 2, 3; Prom Committee 3; Living Rosary 1, 3, 4; Pep Club 4; Perpetual Adoration 3; Knights and Handmaids of the Blessed Sacrament 1, 2, 3, 4; Renard Staff 4; Victory Corps 3; Vested Choir 4; Class Play 4.



JOHN DICKERMAN
"Jack"

Serious and withdrawn, making his efforts worthwhile.

Entered St. Mary 2; Holy Name Society 2, 3, 4; Sodality 2, 3, 4; Social Committee 3; Victory Corps 3.

FLORENCE DIETZ
"Flossie"

A noble, all around girl.

Attended St. Mary's 1, 2, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 4; Knights and Handmaids of the Blessed Sacrament 1, 2, 3, 4; May Procession 2; Cafeteria Serving 2; Alpha Society 3; Prom Committee 3; Soft Ball Team 3; Hallowe'en Witches Committee 3; Literary Committee 3.

MARY DIETZ
"Mickey"

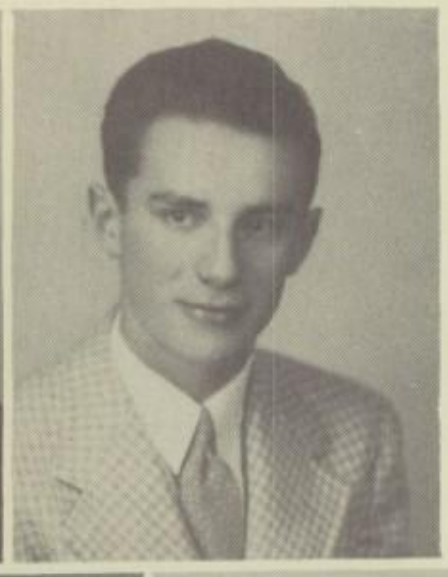
A girl with a smile
Who makes the Bubble of Life worthwhile.

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Living Rosary 1; May Procession 1, 3; S.S.C.A. 2; Knights and Handmaids 2, 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Catholic Truth Committee 3; Social Committee 3; Victory Corps 3; Prom Committee 3; Renard Staff 4; School Officer—Secretary 4; Class Officer—Vice President 3; Class Play 4.

ELAINE DOMBROWSKI
"Lainie"

The highest ideals, the greatest dreams
Are hers to spur on.

Entered St. Mary's 3; St. Patrick's Parish. Bowling Team 3; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids of the Blessed Sacrament 3, 4; Sodality 3, 4; May Procession 3; Renard Staff 4.



DONALD DORZWEILER
"Don"

Quiet and helpful
Always cheerful.

Acolyte 1, 2, 3, 4; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Living Rosary 2, 4; May Crowning 3; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids 3; Football 1, 3; Perpetual Adoration 3; Bowling 3; Victory Corps. 3

NANCY DOWLING
"Pimsey"

A friendly lass was she,
But mischievous too.

Entered St. Mary 4; Perpetual Adoration 4; Renard Staff 4; Sodality 4; Freshman Mixer 4.

DELORES DREXLER
"Dee"

With so many other things to do
Why study?

Bowling Team 2, 3; Girl Scouts 2; Our Lady's Committee 1; Christmas Play 1; Eucharistic Committee 1; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Living Rosary 1, 2, 3; May Procession 2, 3; Knights and Handmaids 2, 3, 4; Victory Corps 3; Social Committee 2; Eucharistic Our Lady's 2.

EDMUND FAHRENKRUG
"Barney"

With curly hair and muscles bulging
In dainty things he is never indulging.

Server 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 4; Living Rosary 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2; Prom Committee 3; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Renard Staff 4; May Procession 1, 2, 3, 4; Social Committee 1, 2, 3.

JANET FEESS
"Janet"

Fun to be with, fun to have around
With words both humorous and sound.

Cecilia Singers 2, 3, 4; Girl Scouts 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids 2; Social Committee 2, 3, 4; Living Rosary 1, 3; A Cappella Choir 3; Christmas Chorus 2, 3; Renard Staff 4; Perpetual Adoration 2, 3, 4; Victory Corps 3; May Crowning 1, 2, 3; Girls Basketball 3; Catholic Truth Committee Secretary 3; Prom Committee 3; Literature Committee 1; Christmas Vested Choir 4; Co-editor of Renard 4; Class Play 4.

Seniors

JAMES FISCH
"Cocky"

Happy and joyous, full of glee
Nothing serious ever bothers me.

Server 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2; Holy Name 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Officer 2; Perpetual Adoration 2; Golf 2, 3, 4; Bowling 2, 3; U. S. Army Air Corps (Aviation Cadet) 4.

PATRICIA FREDERICK
"Pat"

An artful lass
The pride of her class.

Bowling Team 2; Living Rosary 1, 4; May Procession 1, 2, 3; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Christmas Pageant 2, 3; Cecilia Singers 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Officer—Secretary 4; Publicity Committee 4; Renard Staff 4; Knights and Handmaids of the Blessed Sacrament 2, 3; Prom Committee 3; Victory Corps 3.

RICHARD GEIGER
"Dick"

A man of sports
That's Dick through and through.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Holy Name 1, 2, 3, 4; Acolyte 2; Christmas Play 2, 3, 4.

EUNICE GRASSL
"Uny"

Studious and quiet;
A very good helper.

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 2; Victory Corps 3; Perpetual Adoration 4; Renard Staff 4.

EUGENE HICKEY
"Hercules"

Humorous and full of cheer
A volume of wit for all to hear.

Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Literature Committee 1; Class Officer 4; Perpetual Adoration 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Christmas Play 4; Vocation Play 4.

JAMES FOXGROVER
"Fit"

A man of ambition
In both work and play.

Entered St. Mary 2; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality Treasurer 3; Class Officer—Treasurer 1, Vice President 2; Knights and Handmaids 3, 4; Living Rosary 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; May Crowning 3, 4; Queen's Court 3; Renard Staff 4; Co-Editor; Prom Committee 3; Social Committee Chairman 4; Victory Corps 3; Honor Society 3; Bowling 1, 2, 3; Championship Bowling Team 3; Intramural Basketball 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Aviation Cadet Class V-5 U.S. N.R. 4; Class Play 4.

MARY GAMSKY
"Gammy"

A refined, quiet, personality
Respected by all.

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Our Lady's Committee 1, 2; Eucharistic Committee 3; Social Committee 4; Cheerleader 3; S.S.C.A. 2; May Procession 1, 2; Bowling 2, 3; Living Rosary 1, 2, 3, 4; Christmas Play 1; Prom Committee 3; Pep Club 4; Perpetual Adoration 3; Knights and Handmaids of the Blessed Sacrament 1, 2, 3, 4; Victory Corps 3; Renard Staff 4.

CARL GRADE
"Wolf"

In work or play,
Carl's grin will always stay.

Server 1; Prom Committee 3; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Holy Name 1, 2, 3, 4.

ALICE MAE HAEN
"Smiles"

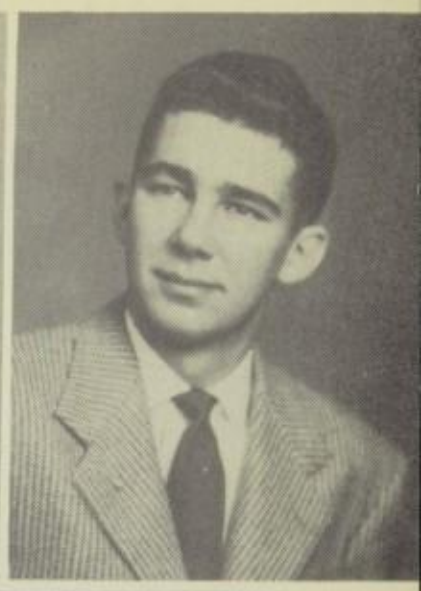
The brightness of her smile
Makes the days worthwhile.

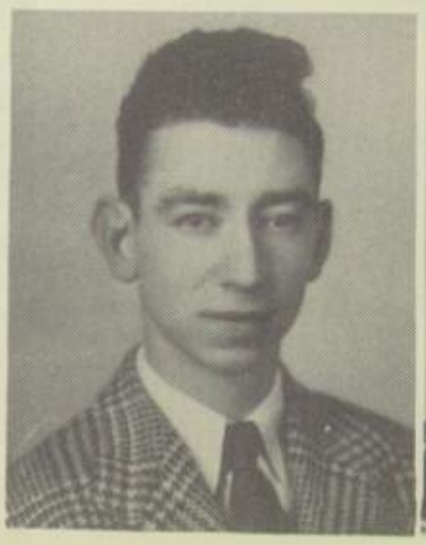
Entered St. Mary High 4; Madonna High School for Girls, Aurora, Illinois; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 4; Renard Staff 4; S.S.C.A. 4.

JEANETTE HOGAN
"Jenny"

"Mine is a life of happy hours."

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Living Rosary 2, 4; Knights and Handmaids of the Blessed Sacrament 1, 2, 3, 4; Catholic Truth Committee 4; Renard Staff 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Victory Corps 3; May Crowning 1, 2, 3.





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RICHARD HUELSBECK
"Dick"

Studious and hardworking;
The "down to earth type."

Football 1, 2; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Holy Name 1, 2, 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 4; Renard Staff 4.

JAMES JANSSEN
"Jim"

The world was made for fun and frolic
And so was I.

Basketball 1; Acolytes 1, 2; Intramural 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Officer—President 1; Class Officer—Secretary 2.

MARION JONES
"Peanuts"

"Let come what may."

Entered from Mackenzie High School, Detroit, Michigan; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Social Committee 3.

JAMES JUNGWIRTH
"Juggie"

Tis not for man to trifle.

Entered St. Mary's from St. Vincent's Oshkosh 2; Holy Name 2, 3, 4; Sodality 2, 3, 4; Server 1, 2, 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids of the Blessed Sacrament 2, 3, 4.

IRENE KELLY
"Kelly"

A newcomer, yes;
But with many new friends found.

Entered St. Mary's from St. Joseph's High, Keshena, Wisconsin; Sodality 4.

LOIS KICA
"Lois"

Studies come first, then fun and frolic.

Cecilia Singers 1, 2, 3, 4; Living Rosary 1, 2, 3; Our Lady's Committee 1; Knights and Handmaids of the Blessed Sacrament 1, 2, 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; May Procession 2, 3; Christmas Play 3; Christmas Choir 1, 2, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Renard Staff 4; Victory Corps 3.

JOAN KLAUS
"Dimples"

Without a care;
Full of fun and frolic.

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids 1, 2, 3, 4; Prom Committee 3; Social Committee 2; Living Rosary 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Victory Corps 3; Catholic Truth Committee 1.

GEORGE KLUBA

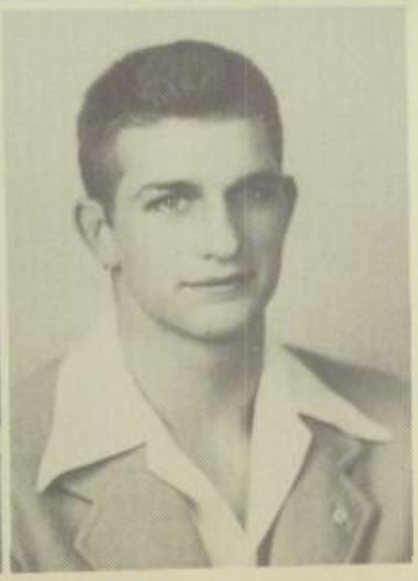
The only things that are in my dreams
Are basketballs, basketballs so it seems.

Football 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Initiation Committee 4; Victory Corps 3; May Procession 3.

MARY KOLASINSKY
"Koly"

A pleasing lass with manner sweet
The kind of girl you like to meet.

Bowling 2, 3; Prom Committee 3; Living Rosary 2, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Officer 2; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Renard Staff 4; May Procession; Publicity Committee; Christmas Play 1.



ROBERT KOSER
"Jokes"

His looks, his wit, his football vim—
How we all envy him.

Class President 1; Class Treasurer 3; Basketball 1, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids of the Blessed Sacrament 3, 4.

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ELLEN MARY KRONSCHNABEL
"Krunchy"

Though she's not a cutup
She's a loyal senior.

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids of the Blessed Sacrament 1, 2, 3, 4; Eucharistic, Our Lady Committee 4; Living Rosary 2, 4; Renard Staff 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Victory Corps 3; Girl Scouts 2; May Procession 2, 3.

DORIS LAUS
"Doris"

Always neat, always trim
Attacks her studies with vigor and vim.

May Procession 1, 2, 3; Living Rosary 1, 2, 3; S.S.C.A. 2; Eucharistic Committee 1, 3; Our Lady's Committee 2; Pep Club 4; Victory Corps 3; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Handmaid of the Blessed Sacrament 1, 2, 3, 4; Prom Committee 3; Perpetual Adoration 3; Renard Staff 4; Social Committee 2.

MARGARET LIEBHAUSER
"Leapie"

"Always happy, always gay
Thus she giggles her troubles away."

Cecilia Singers 1; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Social Committee 2; Our Lady's Committee 1; Living Rosary 1, 2; Christmas Play 1; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Victory Corps 3; May Crowning 1; Girl Scouts 2.

GERMAINE MATTERN
"Gerry"

A delicate mixture of sweetness.

Cecilia Singers 1, 2; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids 2, 3, 4; Christmas Play 1, 2; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Victory Corps 3; May Crowning 2.

JAMES McKENZIE
"Basil"

Success shall be his, as well as praise
When Jim puts on his skits and plays.

Entered St. Mary High 2; Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; School Officer—Secretary 4; Initiation Committee 4; Christmas Play 3, 4; Bowling 2, 3; Pep Club 4; Color Sergeant 3; Intramurals 2, 3; Prom Committee 3; Renard Staff 4; Perpetual Adoration 3; May Procession 3; Knights and Handmaids; Choir 4; Social Committee 3, 4; Dance Chairman 4; Class Play 4.

TOM LANDIG
"Jit"

"Laugh and the world laughs with you."

Server 1, 2, 3, 4; Boxing 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Bowling 2, 3; Member of Championship Team 3; Sodality Prefect 4; Intramural Basketball 3; Prom Committee 3; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Initiation Committee 4; Living Rosary 4; Renard Staff 4; Choir 3, 4; Christmas Choir 3, 4; A Cappella Choir 3; Summer School of Catholic Action 3; Democracy Committee 1; Class Play 4.

GLORY MAE LAUX
"Soapy"

Full of fun and mischief too
But to every friend she's true.

Cecilia Singers 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality Prefect 4; Sodality Treasurer 3; Class Officer—President 2; Knights and Handmaids 1, 2, 3, 4; Living Rosary 1, 2, 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Christmas Play 1, 2; Christmas Chorus 3, 4; A Cappella Chorus 3; May Crowning 1, 2, 3; Initiation Committee 4; Prom Committee 3; S.S.C.A. 2, 3; Renard Staff 4; Social Committee 2, 3, 4; Girl Scouts 2, 3, 4; Victory Corps 3; Girl's Basketball Team 3, 4; Cheerleader 2; Girls' Tennis Tournament 2, 3; Bowling 2, 3; Pep Club 4; Honor Society 3; Amateur Show 1; Vested Choir 4; Class Play 4; May Queen 4.

LOIS MAAS
"Toddy"

"She's a wee mite,
But very well liked."

Bowling 2, 3; Living Rosary 2, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Prom Committee 3; Perpetual Adoration 3; May Procession 3; Social Committee; Victory Corps 3; Girl Scouts 1.

RALPH MCCLONE
"Mac" "Harmon"

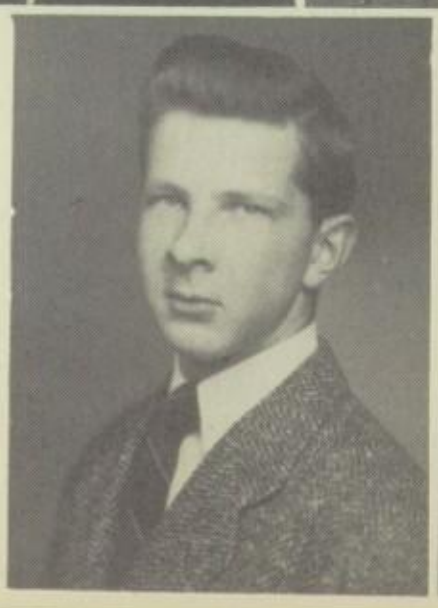
Modern Mercury;
Our fleet footed half-back.

Entered St. Mary's from St. Norbert, DePere 2; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Boxing 1; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Sodality 2, 3, 4; St. Mary C.Y.O. Initiation Committee 4; Social Committee 3; Holy Name 1, 2, 3, 4; Acolyte 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball Co-captain 4; Victory Corps 3.

JAMES MURPHY
"Murph"

A leader in pep, vim and fun
He has the admiration of everyone.

Entered St. Mary 2; Sodality 2, 3, 4; Living Rosary 4; Renard Staff 4; Class Officer—Treasurer 3; School Officer—President 4; Prom Committee 3; Initiation Committee 4; Pep Club 4; Football 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 4; Band Leader 4.



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ELIZABETH OTTO
"Betty"

Full of fun and mischief too,
Doing things she shouldn't do.

Cecelia Singers 2, 3, 4; Girl Scouts 2; Girl's Club 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids 2; Prom Committee 3; Social Committee 3; Living Rosary 1, 2, 3; Christmas Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; A Cappella Chorus 3; Renard Staff 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Victory Corps 3; May Crowning 2, 3; Dramatics 2; Girl's Basketball Team 3, 4.

RUTH OTTO
"Ruthie"

Clever, witty sayings,
Are her enjoyable playthings.

Entered St. Mary 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 4; Renard Staff 4.

MARION PACK
"Patti"

Full of pep and full of fun,
She's a friend to everyone.

Class Secretary 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids 2, 3; Prom Committee 3; Living Rosary 2, 3; Christmas Play 1; Renard Staff 4; Bowling 2; Perpetual Adoration 3; S.S.C.A. 2; Victory Corps 3; May Crowning 1, 2, 3; Girl Scouts 2; Literature Committee 1; Class Play 4.

EILEEN PARTIKA
"Jinx"

Friendly, courteous in her everyday conduct.

Entered St. Mary's 3; Sodality 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids 4; Victory Corps 3; Living Rosary 4; Bowling 3; Renard Staff 4; May Crowning 3.

GREGORY PAULY
"Greg"

A little nonsense now and then
Is relished by the best of men

Football 1, 2, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Bowling Champs 3; Christmas Play 2, 3, 4; Acolyte 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Class President 4; Initiation Committee 4; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Living Rosary 3, 4; Renard Staff 4; Choir 2, 3, 4; S.S.C.A. 4; Class Play 4.

DIANE POTTNER
"Pot"

We know her by her joyous air
Her bright black eyes, her bright black hair.

Catholic Truth Committee 4; Pep Club 4; Living Rosary 1, 2, 4; Bowling 2, 3; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Prom Committee 3; Christmas Play 1; Victory Corps 3, 4; Our Lady's Committee 1, 2, 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 3; Renard Staff 4; May Procession 1, 2; Handmaid 3, 4; Social Committee 1, 2; Girl Scouts 1; Vocation Play 3; Class Play 4.

ROBERT PROBST
"Zeke"

At every commotion,
Zeke is in motion.

Entered St. Mary's from St. Patrick's, Menasha 3; Sodality 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids 3, 4; Prom Committee 3; Initiation Committee 3; Renard Staff 4; Perpetual Adoration 3; Victory Corps 3; Intramural Basketball 3; Holy Name Society 3, 4; Acolyte 3, 4.

ETHEL RESCH
"Shorty"

Never a care
Always ready for a dare.

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Cecilia Singers 1, 2; Christmas Chorus 1, 2, 3; Knights and Handmaids 1, 2, 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 3; Cheer Leader 2, 3; Victory Corps 3.

DOLORES RIPPL
"Chic"

Serious and quiet
Her studies profit by it.

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids 1, 2, 3, 4; Social Committee 2; Living Rosary 1, 2; Renard Staff 4; Perpetual Adoration 3; Victory Corps 3; May Crowning 2, 3.

DONALD RIPPL
"Don"

Don always played the game,
He'll climb the ladder high to fame.

Acolyte 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Christmas Chorus 2, 3, 4; Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Perpetual Adoration 3; Pep Band 1, 2, 3; Christmas Play 2, 3, 4; Prom Committee 3; Renard Staff 4; Catholic Truth Committee 3; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4.

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RUTH ROTH
"Bunny"

She will get through all life's trials
Because she works and she smiles.

Bowling Team 2, 3; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; May Procession 1, 2; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Living Rosary 1, 2, 4; Knights and Handmaids of the Blessed Sacrament 2, 3; Renard Staff 4; Victory Corps 3, 4.

KATHLEEN SCHALLER
"Kay"

The world's no better if you worry
Life's no longer if you hurry.

Bowling 2; Our Lady's Committee 1, 3; Living Rosary 1, 3, 4; Prom Committee 3; Christmas Play 2, 3; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Renard Staff 4; Cecilia Singers 1, 2, 3, 4; Scouts 3, 4; May Procession 2, 3; Knights and Handmaids 2, 3, 4; Victory Corps 3, 4; Social Committee 2.

ADELINE SCHERER
"Addie"

Quiet, not singing her own praises
A poet, with the prettiest of phrases.

Renard Staff 4; Victory Corps 3; May Procession 3; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Bowling Team 2; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Prom Committee 3.

MARY JANE SCHRAGE
"Tippy"

Friendly toward all;
Always ready to be helpful.

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Cecelia Singers 1, 2, 3; Renard Staff 4; Knights and Handmaids of the Blessed Sacrament; Living Rosary 1, 2, 4; Victory Corps 3, 4; May Procession; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Christmas Chorus 1, 2, 3.

ERNA SCOVRONSKE
"Penny"

Quick and timely,
Grave and lively.

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Prom Committee 3; Social Committee 2; Living Rosary 1, 2, 3, 4; Renard Staff 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Bowling 2, 3; Victory Corps 3; May Crowning 1, 2, 3; Girl Scouts 2, 3; Eucharistic Committee 1; Dramatics 2; Librarian 4; Knights and Handmaids 2.

DOLORES ROTHE
"Lorree"

Interesting herself because she is
Interested in everyone and everything.

Bowling Team 1, 2; Eucharistic Committee 3; Pep Club 4; Christmas Play 1; Prom Committee 3; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Living Rosary 1, 2, 3; Perpetual Adoration 3; Renard Staff 4; May Procession 2; Knights and Handmaids 3, 4; Victory Corps 3, 4; Bell Ringer 4; Librarian 4.

RITA SCHEPPLER
"Reet"

Sweet and charming, at times alarming.

Entered St. Mary's from Sacred Heart, Appleton, Sodality 2, 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids 2, 3, 4; Prom Committee 3; Class Officer, "Secretary" 3, Treasurer 4; Renard Staff 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; S.S.C.A. 2, 3; Victory Corps 3; May Crowning 2, 3, 4; Girl Scouts 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4.

BEN PETER SCHERER
"Bennie"

"*Life is what you make it.*"

Entered St. Mary 3; Sodality 3, 4; May Crowning 3; Renard Staff 4; Perpetual Adoration 3; Living Rosary 4; Holy Name Society 3, 4; Victory Corps 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids of the Blessed Sacrament 3; Class Play 4.

MARY SCHULTZ

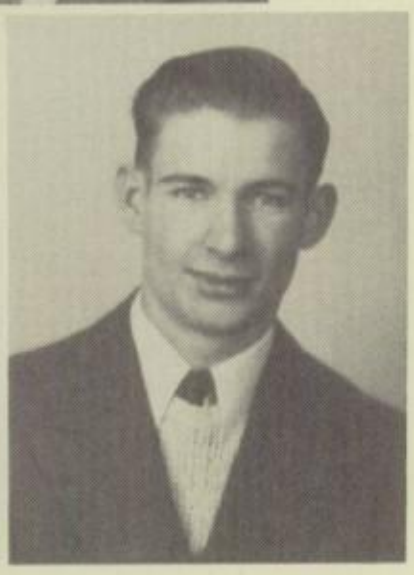
Quiet and helpful
With everything done.

Cecilia Singers 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Social Committee 4; Living Rosary 4; Christmas Play 3; Perpetual Adoration 3; Christmas Chorus 2; Victory Corps 3; May Crowning 3; Knights and Handmaids 3; Librarian 4; Renard Staff 4.

JAMES SUESS
"Jim"

"*He forgets not the slightest duty.*"

Holy Name 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids 2, 3; Social Committee 3; Class Officer 1.



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MARY ANN VANDENBERG
"Red"

A blue eyed smiling lass;
Her red hair, the envy of her class.

Band 3, 4; Christmas Play 1; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Catholic Truth Committee 3; Class Officer 1, 2; Prom Committee 3; Renard Staff 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; Living Rosary 1, 3, 4; S.S.C.A. 2, 3; Victory Corps 3; May Procession 3; Class Play 4.

MARION WOLTER

"Where there's a will there's a way."

Entered St. Mary's 2; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids of the Blessed Sacrament 3, 4; Prom Committee 3; Living Rosary 4; Perpetual Adoration 3, 4; May Crowning 3; Victory Corps 3; Librarian 3; Renard Staff 4.

ELIZABETH VAN DYKE
"Dutch"

If smiles were worth money,
She'd be a millionnaire!

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids 3, 4; Social Committee 3; Living Rosary 1; Christmas Play 1; Renard Staff 4; Perpetual Adoration 3; Victory Corps 3; May Crowning 1; Bowling 1, 2, 3.

MARCELLA WROBLEWSKI
"Sally"

Merry and gay . . .
Always ready to have a good time.

St. Mary 1, 3, 4; Ladysmith High 2; Living Rosary 1; Christmas Choir 1; Cecelia Singers 1; A Cappella Choir 2; Perpetual Adoration 3; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; May Procession 3.

MARVIN VOISSEM
"Marve"

Books are the least of my worries.

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Knights and Handmaids; Holy Name Society; Victory Corps; Band 1, 2, 3; Bowling 2.

HARVEY ZIMMER
"Zim"

What affords more pleasure
Than daydreaming.

Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Victory Corps 3.

SENIOR

Class Officers

Room 307

Greg Pauly
President

Dick Broeren
Vice President

Patricia Frederick
Secretary

Rita Scheppler
Treasurer

Room 309

Kathleen Binder
President

Nancy Dowling
Vice President

Marian Pack
Secretary

Eugene Hickey
Treasurer

JUNIOR

Class Officers

Room 301

James Curtis
President

Helen Spalding
Vice President

Ursula Nabbefeld
Secretary

Edward Zimmer
Treasurer

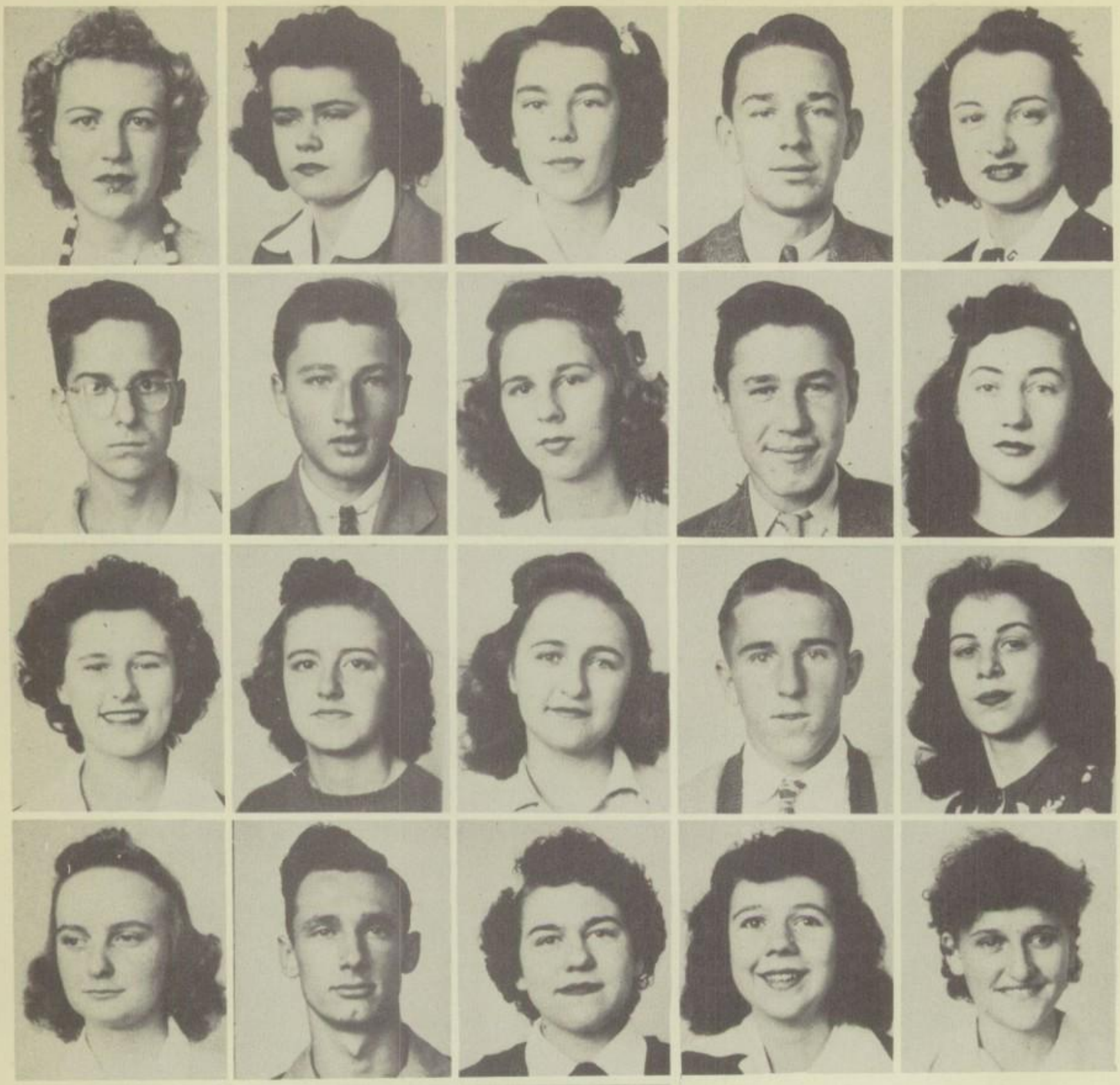
Room 209

Robert Wolfe
President

Myrtle Schmalz
Vice President

Georgiann Stilp
Secretary

Roland Stommel
Treasurer



Marseilles Bayer
Russell Brantmeier
Robert Bushman
Elaine DeBruin

Grace Beachkofski
Carol Brown
Hilarian Butrem
Joyce Dickerman

Dorothy Adrian
Joseph Becker
Mary Bruehl
Barbara Ciske
Walter Dorzweiler

Nancy Atkins
Donald Birling
Patricia Bruso
James Curtis
Marcella Eskofsky

Doris Bayer
Rosemary Brantmeier
Clementine Burghardt
Genevieve Czaplewski
Robert Ferron

Juniors

We Salute You!

Lois Funk
Frank Hackstock
Mary Jacobs
Joan Laemmrich

Marilyn Gonion
Thomas Hearden
Elaine John
Frank Landig·

Roger Grassl
Eugene Hering
Arlene Kargus
Helen Latondress
Lorraine Martell

Roland Grishaber
Betty Hogan
Mildred Kasper
Richard Loescher
Margie McMahon

George Haber
Corrine Huelsbeck
Ann Klinker
Helen Lorge
Darlene McMullen

Jaunty, Jocular, Joyous

Joyce Miller
Joseph Ottman
Rosemary Quella
John Schipferling
Elizabeth Schuller

Olive Miller
Esther Otto
Joan Quinn
Thomas Schipferling
Elaine Schultz

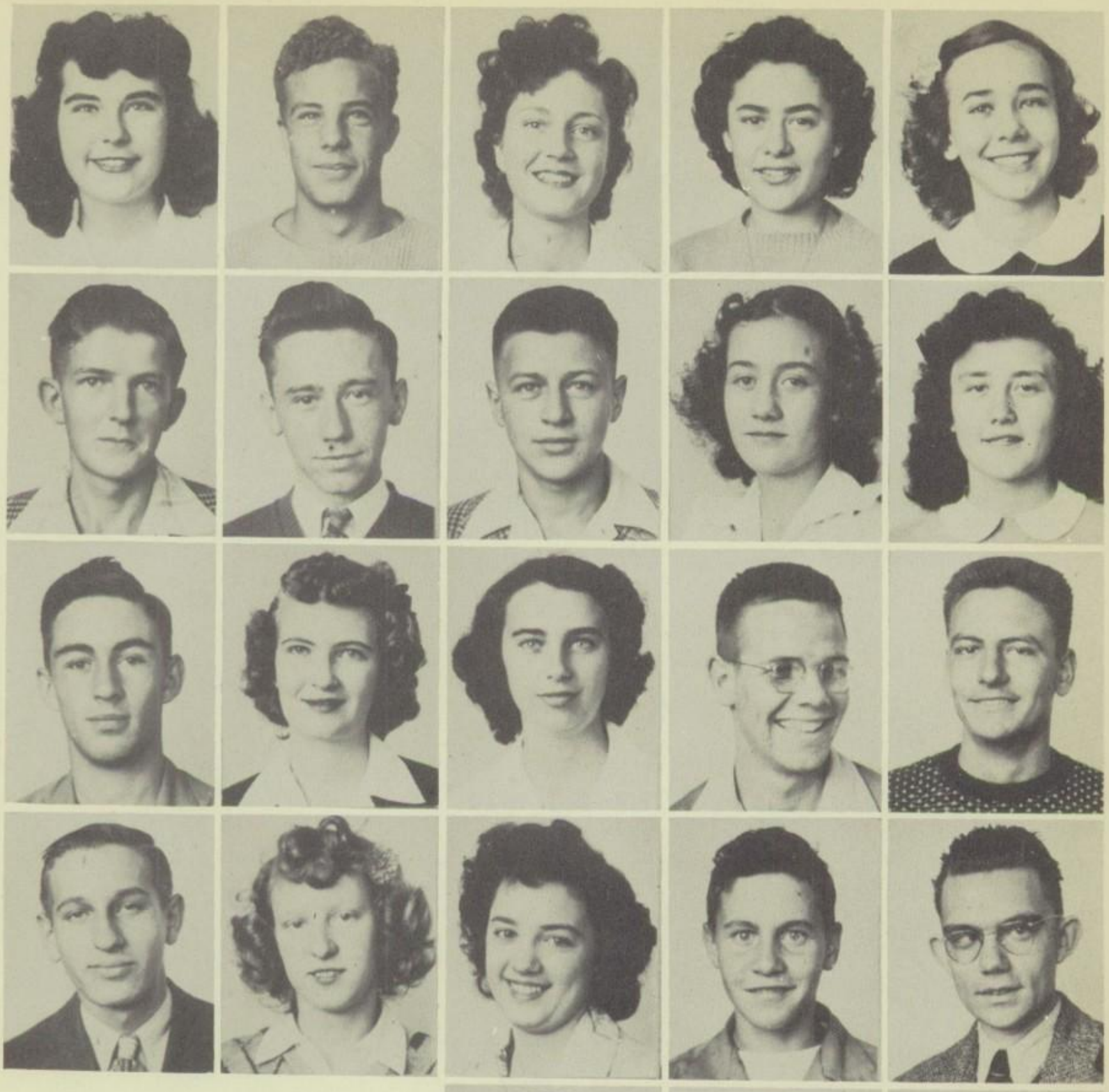
Marcella Muehlenbein
Gerald Pack
Florence Resch
Mary Ellen Schmalz
Helen Spalding

Ursula Nabbefeld
Lorraine Pleier
Donna Rippl
Myrtle Schmalz

Margaret Nash
Gertrude Quella
Donald Rogers
Peter Schmalz

Juniors

We Greet You!



Mary Lou Spoerl
Roland Stommel
William Suess
James Wilfling

William Stadler
David Stratton
Doris Tummett
Leatrice Wilkinson

Frances Stilp
Hillard Strebe
Donna Ulrich
Catherine Will
Cyril Zimmer

Georgiann Stilp
Dona Suess
Robert Verbrick
Robert Wolf
William Zelinski

Louise Stilp
Rita Suess
Robert Wessenberg
Robert Zehren
Edward Zimmer

Good Luck Bill
Hope you have
lots of success
and wealth
Georgie

Jolly, Jovial, Jubilant

Jacky Bartlein
Irene Bushman

Betty Bayer
Betty Campion

Richard Bauer
Betty Ciske

Marvin Beachkofski
Dorothy Coopman

Richard Bevers
William Ciske

Agnes Boehnlein
Robert Curtis

Eddie Brantmeier
Rita Dietz

Rosemary Dietz
Mabel Forslund

Theresa Dietzen
John Gollner

Albert Doepker
Daniel Gottfried

Elinor Dombrowski
Donna Griesbach

Georgė Dorzweiler
Le Roy Griesbach

Betty Fisch
Sally Griesbach

Phyllis Flanagan
Mary Groeschel

Sophomores

We Greet You!

Elmer Haas
Marie Kass

Benny Hahn
Mary Teresa Kessler

Marvin Jacobs
Robert Kolosso

Lucille Jape
Jeanette Kica

Monica Jochman
Richard Koteske

Mona Jung
Joan Kraft

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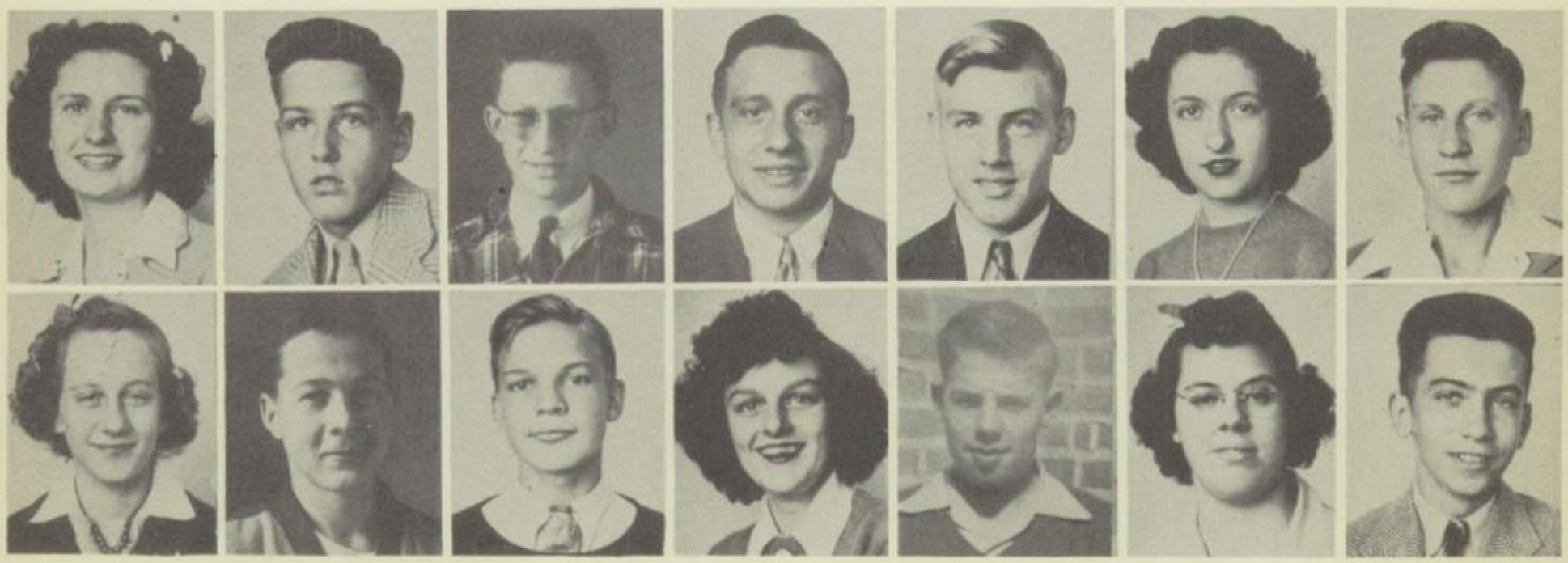


Mary Lamers
Theodora Maertz

William Laemmrich
Tom McKenzie

Donald Lauer
Harold Miller

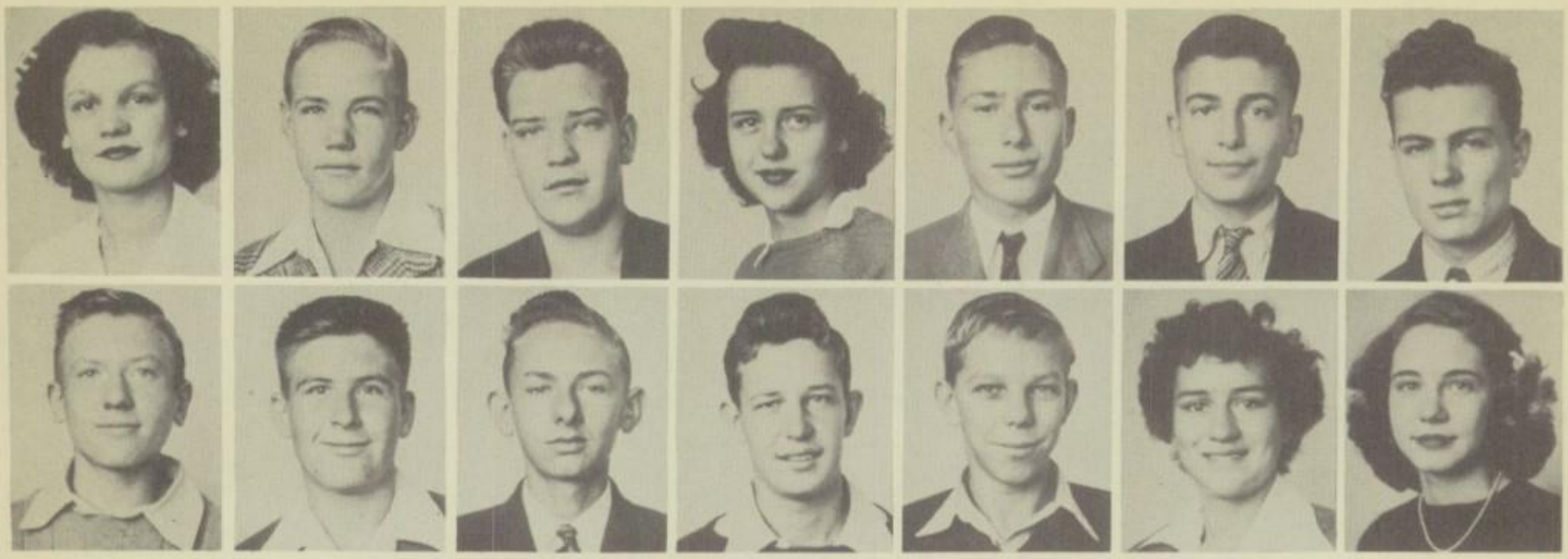
Donald Laux
Janice Miller

Robert Laux
Dick Mortell

Suzanne Loomans
Joyce Nyman

Gerald Maertz
James Otto

Stalwart, Sturdy, Smart



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Joseph Rieschl

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Loretta Schrage

Robert Peck
Richard Schaefer
Raymond Schreiter

Louise Pilarski
Fred Scheppler
Robert Schultz

George Preimsberger
Ronald Schierl
Donna Schuerer

Eugene Putzer
Joan Schmidt
Virginia Skotzke

Sophomores

We Hail You!

Jerome Spaay
George Vogel

Lita Spoerl
Mary Ann Vogel

Cecile Swiechowski
Joan Zelinski

Lawrence Ulrich
Raymond Zelinski

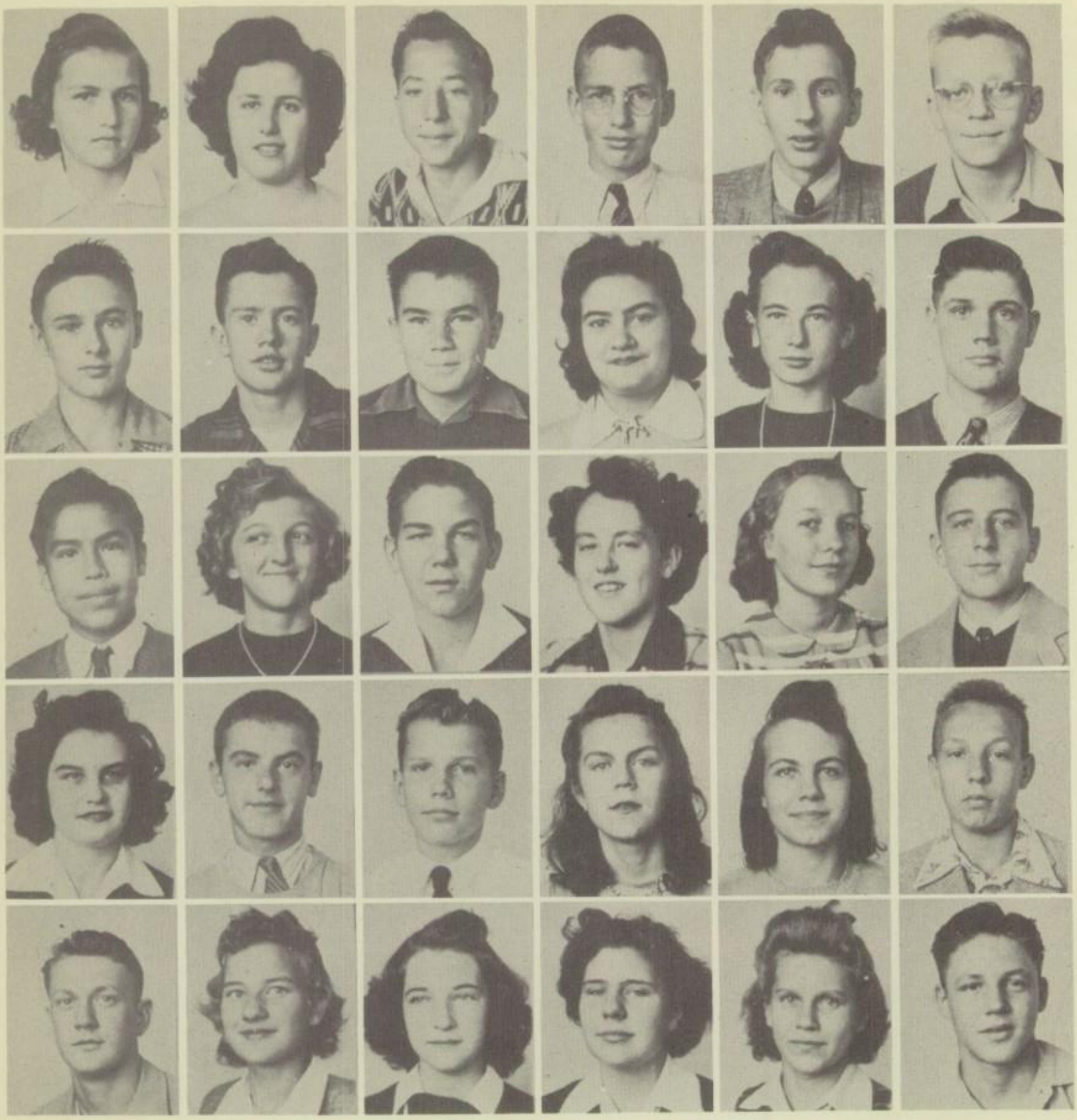
Donna Stilp
Bernice Weber
James Zelinski

Donald Stratton
Marion Weisgerber
Vivian Zuehlke

Lillian Suess
Kathleen Williams
Frank Zylkowski

Just another Junior
Marion Weisgerber

Sensible, Sagacious, Scholarly



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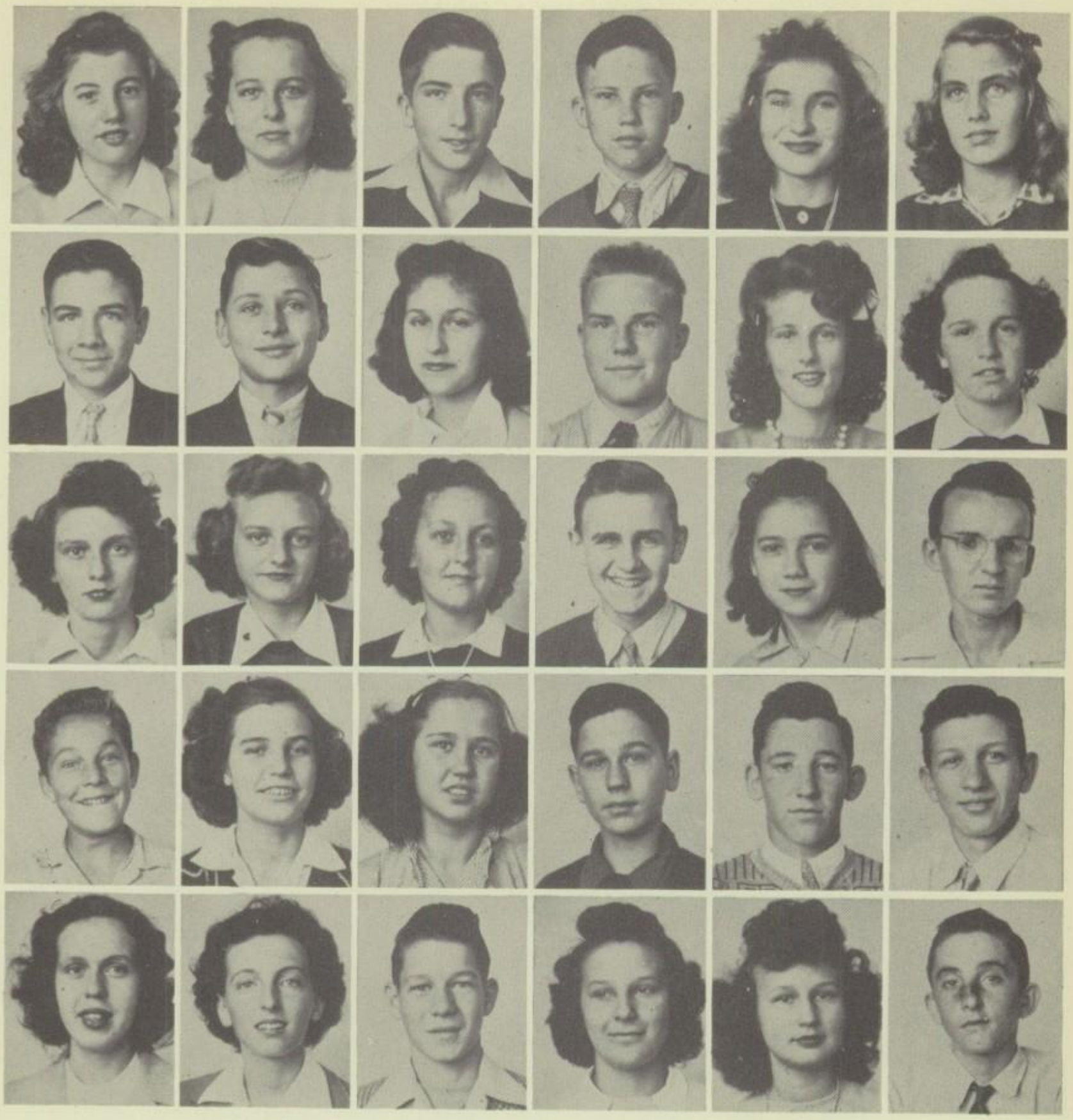
We Salute You!



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Freshmen

We Hail You!

Joan Stilp

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Renard Staff at Work

Pencils flying, heads bursting with bright ideas—the Renard Staff at work! No dreaming—no foolishness—only a grim determination to make this annual the best St. Mary High has ever produced!

The Staff has contributed unselfishly time and labor, and we, the class of '44 deeply appreciate the work. We are proud of our "Renard of 1944."

Sodality

Spiritual . . . active . . . successful. All that, and more, has our Sodality been this year. Inspired by the eager interest of the students, the Sodality pushed onward to new heights of Catholic Action, always keeping before its mind the ultimate goal . . . a deeper knowledge of Jesus through a more tender love of Mary.

The spiritual motive of the Sodality was greatly accented, bringing gratifying results in large monthly Communions, a beautiful living rosary and a fruitful contemplative Retreat. Through the Sodality bulletin, posters, clever skits and well-planned meetings, interest in the Sodality and its projects was kept alive. Receiving an enthusiastic response, the Rosary Campaign, Old Clothes Drive and the Penny for Pamphlets Campaign were brilliant successes. Exhibiting the work of the Sodality, our Sodalists received nation-wide attention by being consistent winners in The Queen's Work contests. Climaxed by the solemn May procession and crowning of the Queen, the Sodality year comes to a close. We can proudly say that this year, above all others, we have come infinitely closer to living our motto "All for Jesus through Mary."

All for Jesus

Through Mary

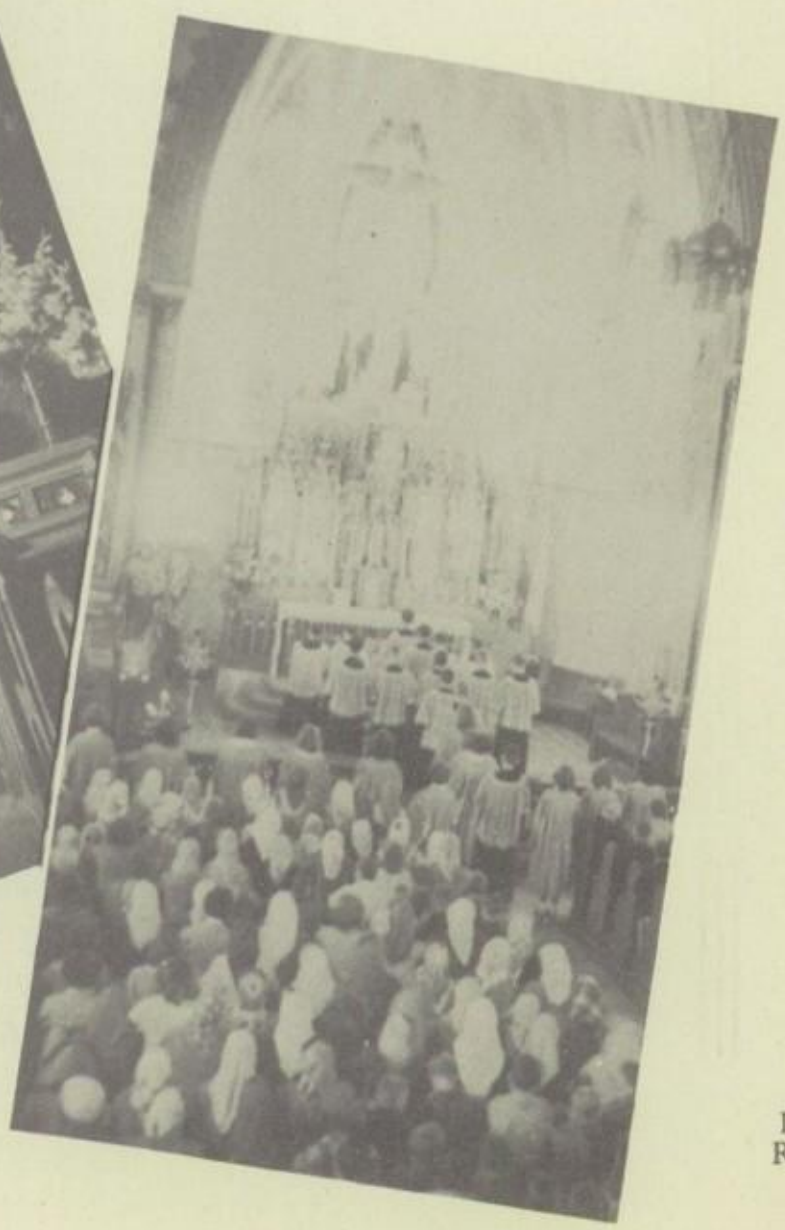
Tom Landig
Prefect

Glory Mae Laux
Prefect

Dick DeBruin
Vice-prefect

Mary Ann Vandenberg
Vice-prefect

OUR LADY'S ALTAR



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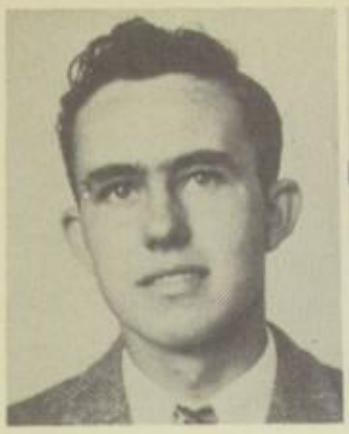

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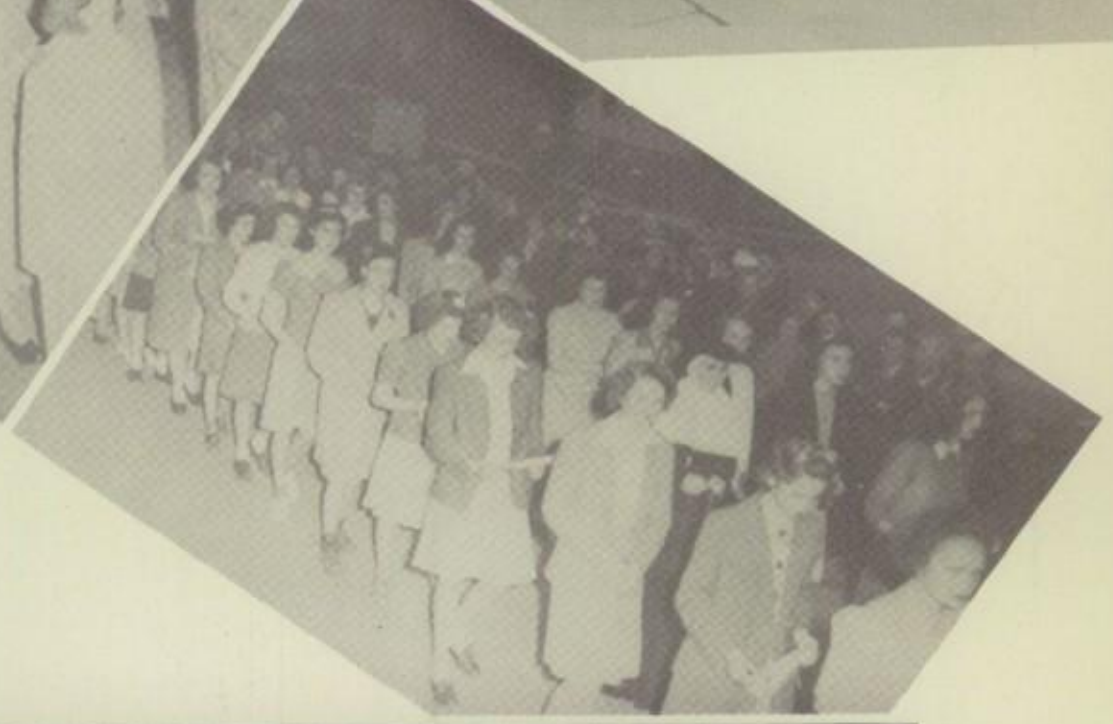
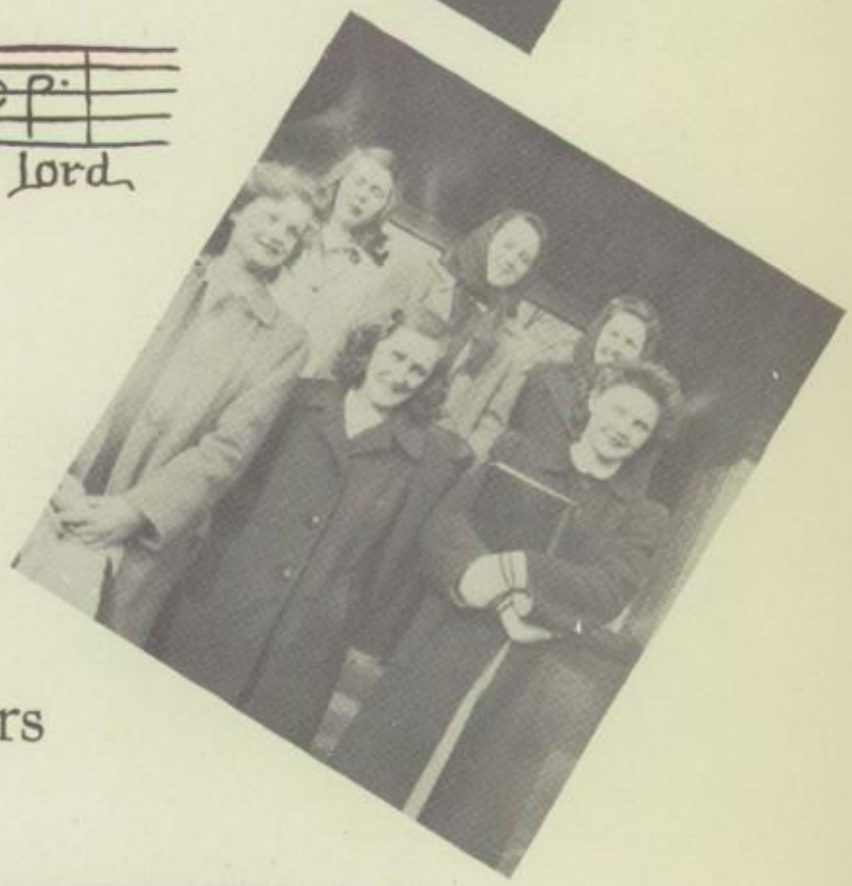




Cecilia Singers

Catholic Truth Committee working at Christmas scrapbooks ~~to be~~ given to hospitals and orphanages.

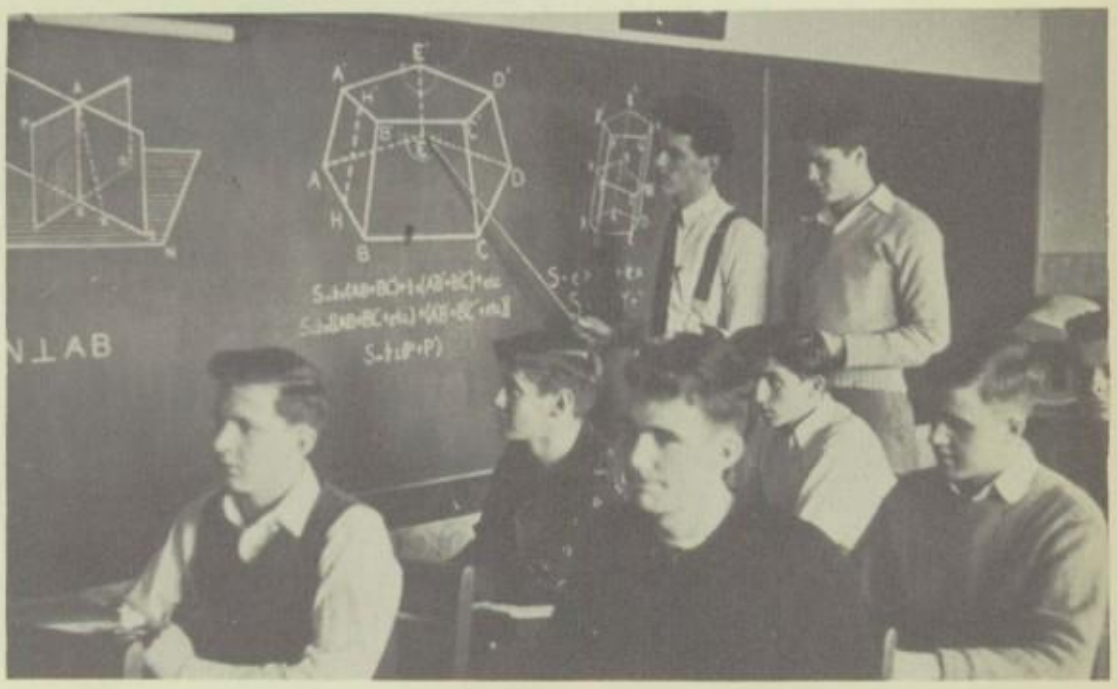
St. Mary

Showing her true colors, St. Mary's is ever toeing the mark, supporting the war effort to the limit. Patriotic enthusiasm was the spirit amongst the students throughout the entire year, resulting in huge paper and scrap metal drives and bond and stamp sales. Bearing evidence of the student's ardent zeal are the jeep and Fairchild Bomber purchased with the sale of bonds and stamps and the snapping Minute Man flag proudly flying over our school. Truly, as Uncle Sam's nephews and nieces, St. Mary students have shown their true color—true blue.

Bond and stamp sales are regularly conducted at St. Mary's.

Math

Math has become a vital factor in the education of youth. Here at St. Mary's, students are given the advantages of elementary and advanced Algebra, plane and solid Geometry, and Trigonometry under the able guidance of Sister Mary Paredes and Sister Mary Madeleine. Math is known as the Queen of Sciences, and here at St. Mary she has rightfully ascended her throne.



Science

Science, probably the most important and vital subject today, is ably taught here at St. Mary under the direction of Sister Mary Jovita. Splendid laboratory facilities are available to all students, and a thorough course in Biology, Physics, and Chemistry is offered.

Languages

English

Spanish

English—the predominating cultural subject is effectively handled at St. Mary by the presentation of discussion topics, original composition and the study of literature on the classics. Teachers of English—Sister Mary Clementia, Sister Mary Colman, Sister Mary Hubert, Sister Mary Norbertine.

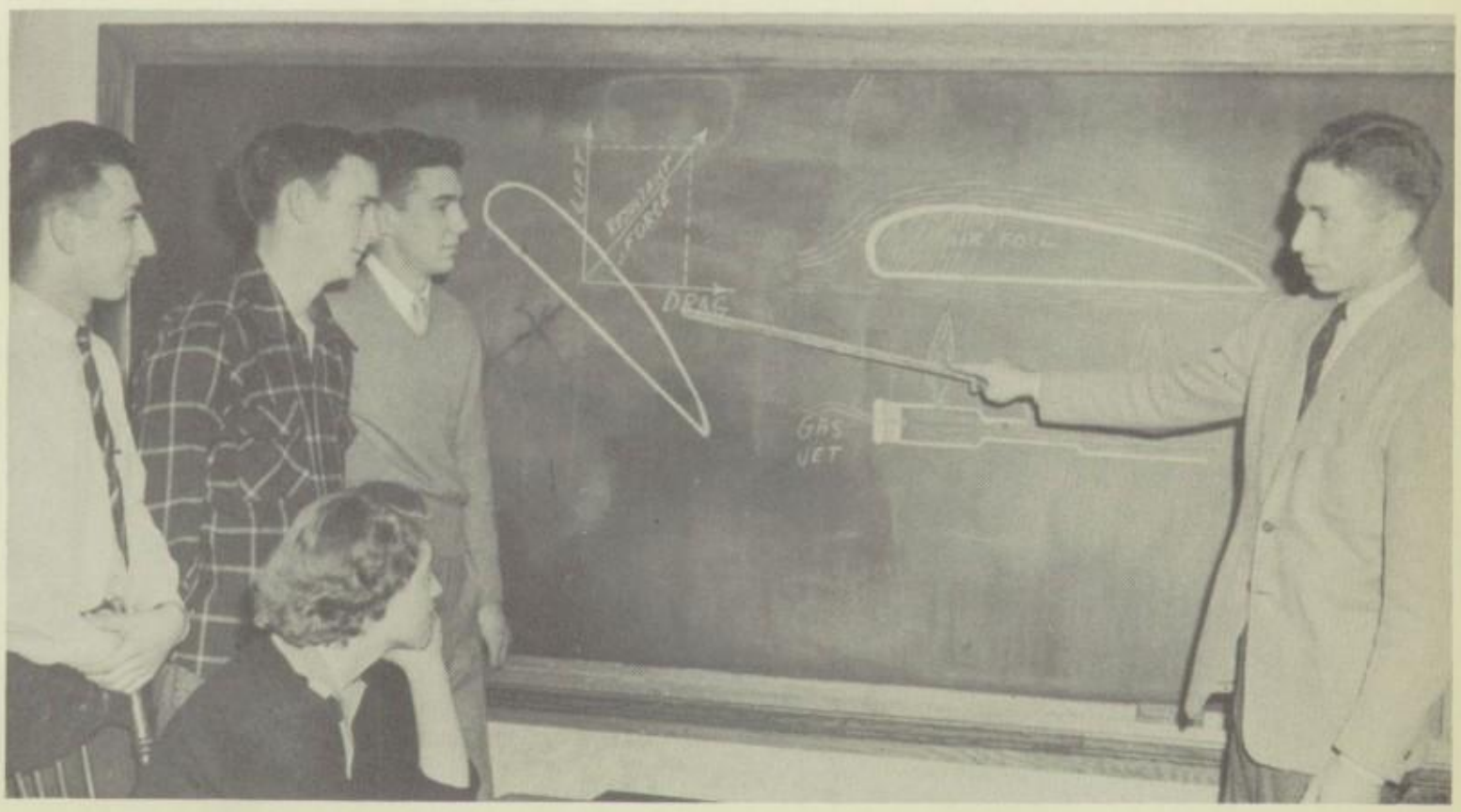
Latin—the long-established language of Christian culture—is offered in a two-year course covering the fundamentals of the language and relating the history of Caesar's Gallic Wars. Teachers of Latin—Sister Mary Annuntiata, Sister Mary Madeleine.

In the post-war world, Spanish will be an essential language. The two-year course at St. Mary lays the foundation for students who, in the future, will deal with our southern neighbors. Teacher of Spanish—Sister Mary Clementia.

German, having both a cultural and vocational value, introduces the student to the daily life and spirit of the foreign nations. A two-year course is offered which gives attention to the study of the German masters, and the use of vocabulary and oral expression. Teacher of German—Sister Mary Agathangela.

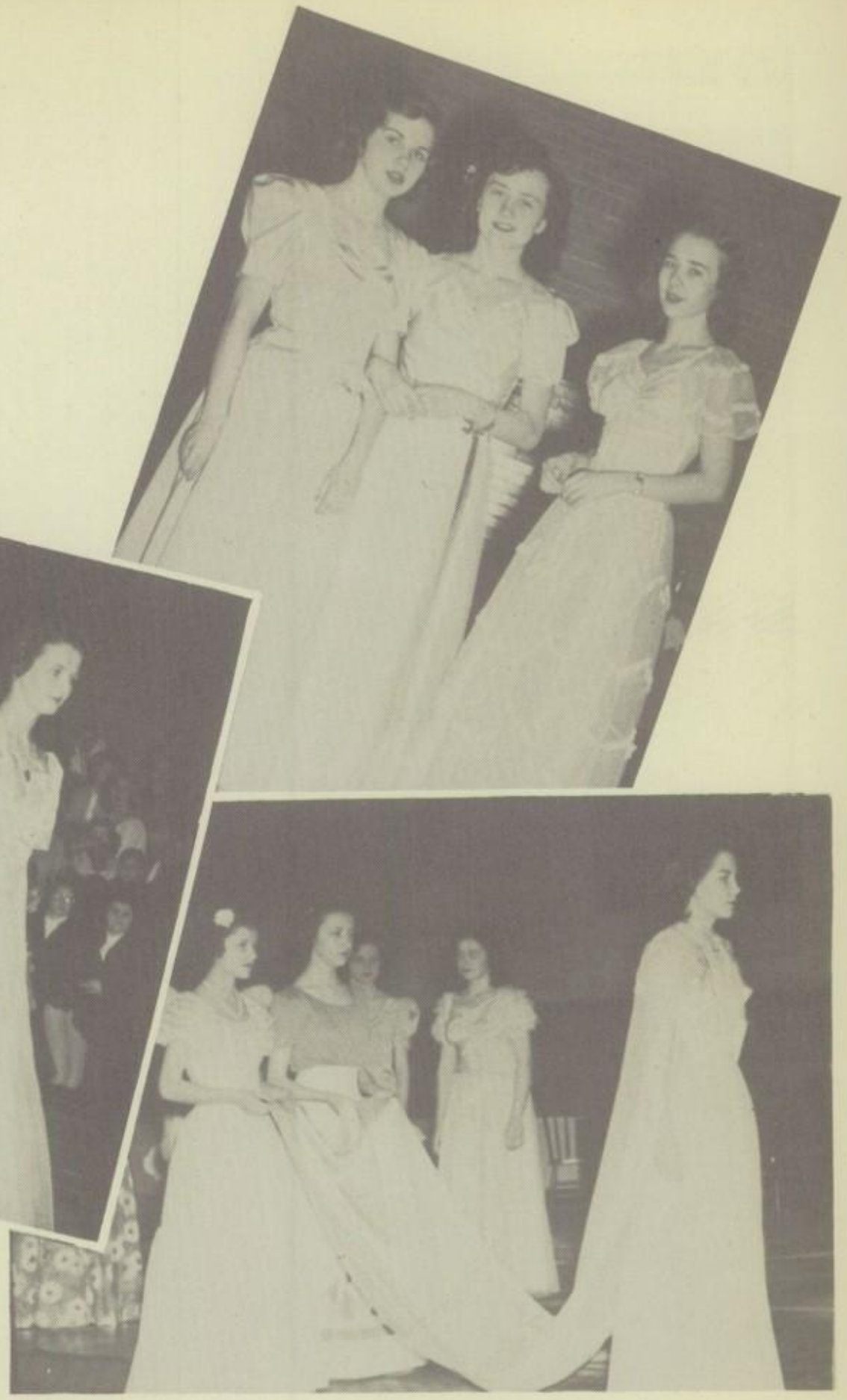
German

Students of the Commercial Department spend at least three hours a day in work with office equipment under the direction of Sister Mary Veronita.



For those who are interested in flying, St. Mary offers a Pre-Aeronautical course conducted by the able Mr. Fred Trish.

The Belle of the Ball

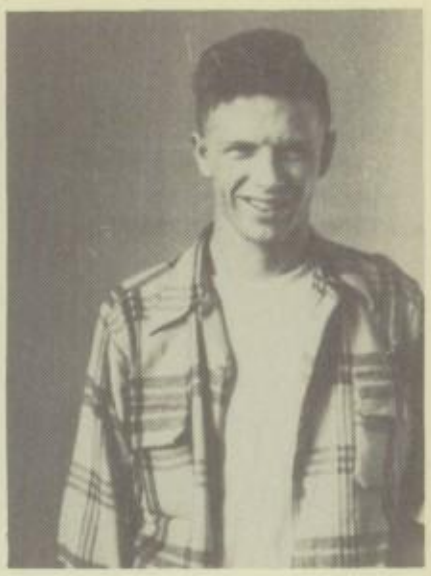


Junior Prom
May 1943

St. Mary Gym was the scene of the spectacular Junior Prom, the culminating social highlight of the school year. The gay decorations and colorful formals gave touches of the beauties of spring and our blessed Patron, Mary Immaculate gazed approvingly upon us, her children.

Prom King.....Robert DeBruin
Prom Queen...Mary Ann Vandenberg

The Librarians: Dolores Rothe, Mary Schultz, Ruth Dare, Carol DeBroux, Erna Scovronske



George Haber, '45
Photographer

Well I'll be seeing you again next year. I hope you make the 1st 5 this year.
George

How studious! John Brunke

John Brunke, 44
Photographer

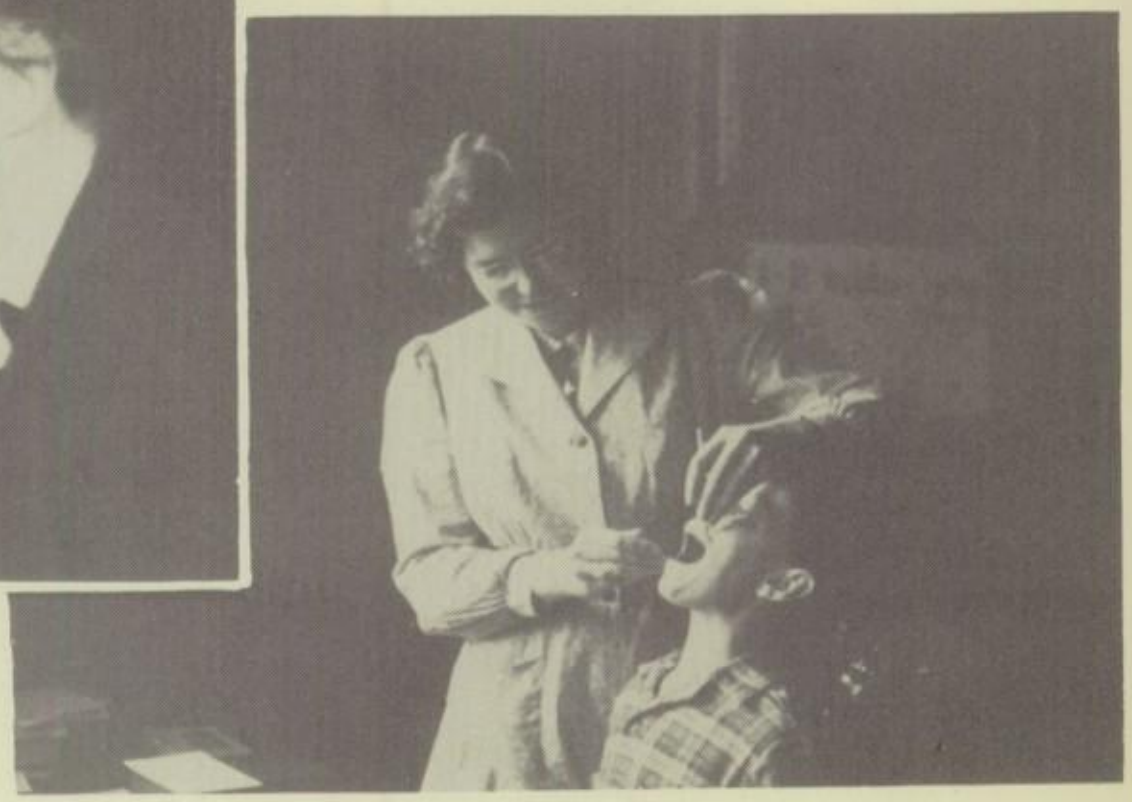
Catholic Press Month at St. Mary's

Dolores Rothe—our faithful bell ringer

Cafeteria Service

Three cheers for Mrs. Orth! What would so many of us do if it weren't for Mrs. Orth and her wonderful staff? Her meals are delicious and appetites soar at the very mention of her cooking. It surely is a trick to feed so many hungry mouths, but Mrs. Orth certainly has the ability. Thanks a million, Mrs. Orth, Mrs. Zimmer, and all your faithful assistants.

Mrs. S. Dudley, our school nurse



Miss G. Kasel, our school nurse

Pep Club

High Point Ad "Collectors"—Lois Kica, Mary Kronschnabel

Snapshot Editors—Margaret Ciske, Betty Otto

Mr. Galen W. Unser

Mr. G. W. Unser

To Mr. Unser, our band director, we extend our sincere gratitude for the years he has spent in giving us the best of music. Because of his earnest endeavors, we have learned to understand the universal language of music and to appreciate, forever, its quality and true beauty.

Mr. Unser, we thank you. We will never forget the great things you have accomplished for St. Mary's. We are truly indebted to you and will forever remember the recognition and honor which you helped to bring to our school, our dear St. Mary's. Again we say, Thank you.

Football

Coach Fred "Doug" Trish

They were the Catholic conference champions. Remember? And the man behind the man behind the ball was Coach Trish. His was the unstinting effort that turned eleven blue and white clad boys into an effective and efficient machine. He was there, behind each play, as unfailingly as if he had stood in the huddle and taken his place in the line-up.

He it was, who directed the strategy and devised the tactics. Sometimes he praised, sometimes he advised, sometimes he corrected, and we who saw him before the games, knew that Coach Trish was always worried about how his team would show up.

Coach Trish has the qualities of a good coach and he never underrated his opponent. We see the fruits of that caution in the fact that St. Mary's was never upset by an opposing team. True, we lost to Two Rivers, but that was no upset. The boys went out there and perhaps they were tired and perhaps it was the weather or they were unfamiliar with their opponents, but we know they fought hard. Coach Trish gave us no excuses. They lost and that was that.

There were moments of personal triumph and satisfaction in the "spanking" administered to Appleton and Neenah. We felt happy with him at those times glad that the coach's efforts were awarded and we were plain glad that we could say, "We come from St. Mary's."

There were scrimmages, practices, long afternoons in rain and wind but that work paid off, in the end, both coach and team. Experience in directing other championship teams stood him in good stead "when the chips were down." We cannot think of the 1943 team without thinking of Coach Trish and the work he did in molding a truly great squad. May the coming years bring the sweet fruits of victory after victory to "Our Coach."

The First Team

The 1943 football season will remain long, in the memories of our rooters, as one of the best years in the gridiron history of the school. Winning seven and losing one does not adequately represent on paper what happened. The Zephyr gridders went out and buried opposing defenses under an avalanche of 155 points for an average per game count of 22 points while the opposition netted a stingy eight per cent. The Zephyrs of '43 were tops on those goal line stands. Twice they blanked the invaders completely and a tight defense expanded for only 14 points in the one game they lost.

On offense, the Zephyrs had a splendid pair of fleet halfbacks, two running mates who would be described in Big Ten football lingo as "skat-backs." The two, fast traveling ball toters were "Harmon" McClone and Tom Schipferling.

But there was hardly a gridder on the St. Mary team who showed less brilliantly. There was Bob Koser, stalwart defensive mainstay at backing up the line and at knifing through to pinch down an opposing back. There was Dick Geiger, high point man, whose line plunges netted the extra inches or yards that spelled much-needed first downs. Power and drive that cracked the opposing forward wall were two words synonymous with fullback Geiger. There was Bill Ciske, quarterback and the brain behind those long, sustained drives. There were the two "Bobs" at end, Wessenberg and Verbrick, who gave St. Mary a passing threat and an open style of ball-playing that was a joy to watch. There was Greg Pauly and Tom Landig, Marv Beachkofske and Bill Stadler, and Elmer Dahl who put the line into the foreground of Zephyr strategy.

Yes, it was a team—in the true sense of the word. High tide was reached when they bowled over Appleton 13 to 7. This was the team that came from behind in the last half to overcome a 7-0 deficit and rock Appleton back on its heels. This was the team we remember that afternoon when Schipferling was gone, Geiger was carried off the field, McClone ran wild and the line held and kept on holding grimly until those final 60 minutes ticked off—that sums up the game and the kind of a team we had. The big, out-of-town squad substituted freely and the Zephyrs had occasion to rely on that slippery backfield and granite line.

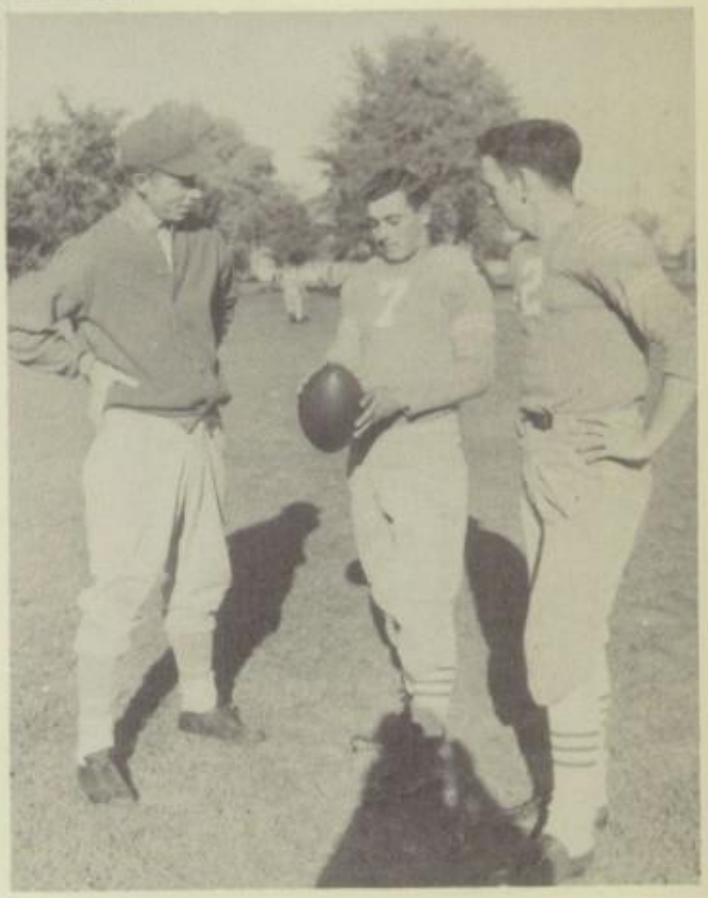
We seniors of 1944 would like to leave St. Mary's with that impression of our team. We'll remember how we gloried in those long, sweeping end runs, those breath-taking, shoestring tackles and stiff blocking and some of that broken-field running that only the '43 team had so beautifully demonstrated. For us, it will be the greatest team in the history of the school. I'd like to leave you with a mental picture of eleven, significantly-clad blue and white gridders who made the 1943 football team, thanks to Coach Trish, one of the truly great achievements of the school year and one that will bring a thrilling tinge of pride in memory to us, as the St. Mary alumni of '44, in the years to come.

I hope I see you next year at Dear end.
Dave '44"

THE SQUAD

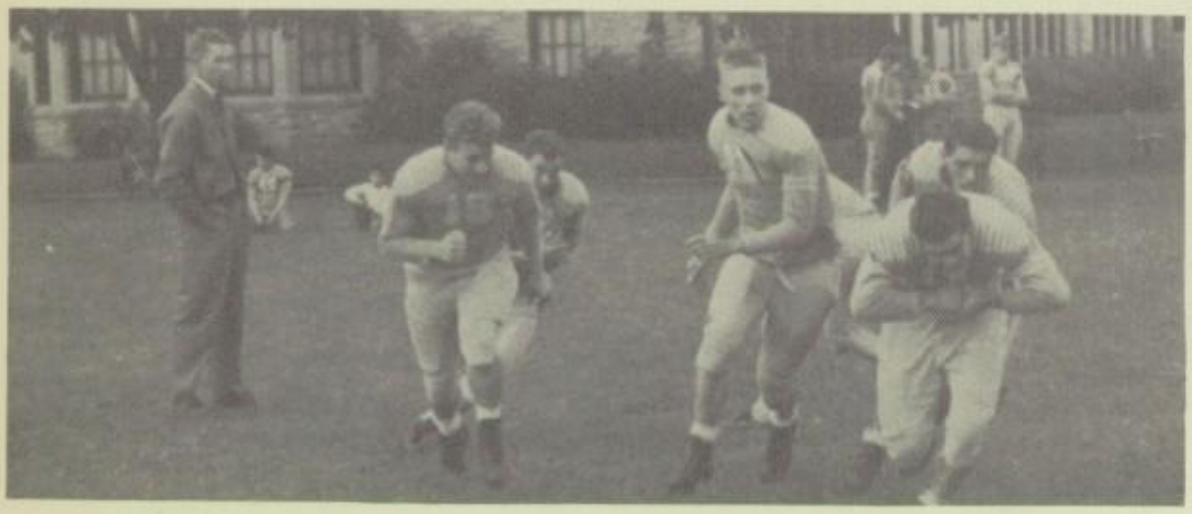
The Second Team

Dick Bauer, Wm. Stadler, Marvin Beachkofski, Robert Laux



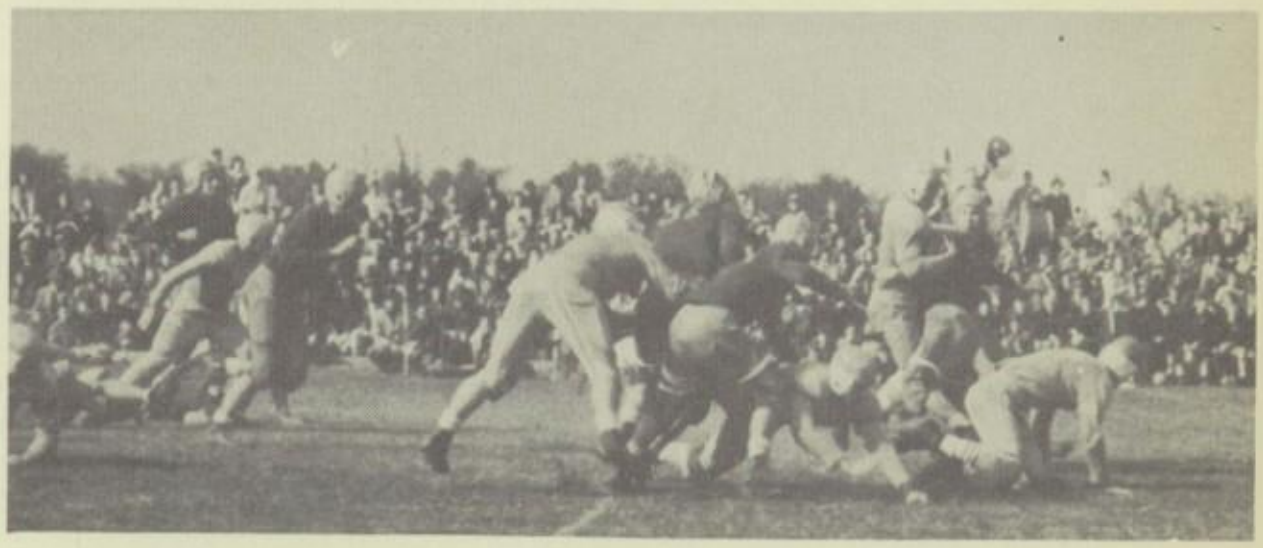
Coach Trish, Tom Schipferling, Ralph McClone

To Coach Trish's second team goes the credit for being the backbone that held the boys together when the chips were down. The reserve strength really came through when the going was rough. With two and even three teams the coach could substitute at will. The team of 1943 was especially strong in backfield material and in the guards and tackle department. His reservists went out and played the brand of football Coach Trish wanted and although injuries have been a hoax in the past, they weren't as much a worry this season. With a line that was two to three men deep, our football team could stand up against the powerhouse squads of Appleton and Neenah and trade them blow for blow and in some cases, substitution for substitution. When the fleet, regular backs came out, when the charging linesmen were laid low or when ends or a quarterback missed their cues, it was the insertion of a second-string man that gave that steadying influence to a team that means so much in the final score. Tommy Harmon once gave all the credit for his surpassing runs to a fleet, substitute running-mate of his, especially in line bucks and off tackle smashes. In the case of 1943's great football team we must give credit where credit is due—to that second and third team, the reserve strength called by sportsmen and commentators everywhere "The Unsung Heroes of the Gridiron."



Practice Hours

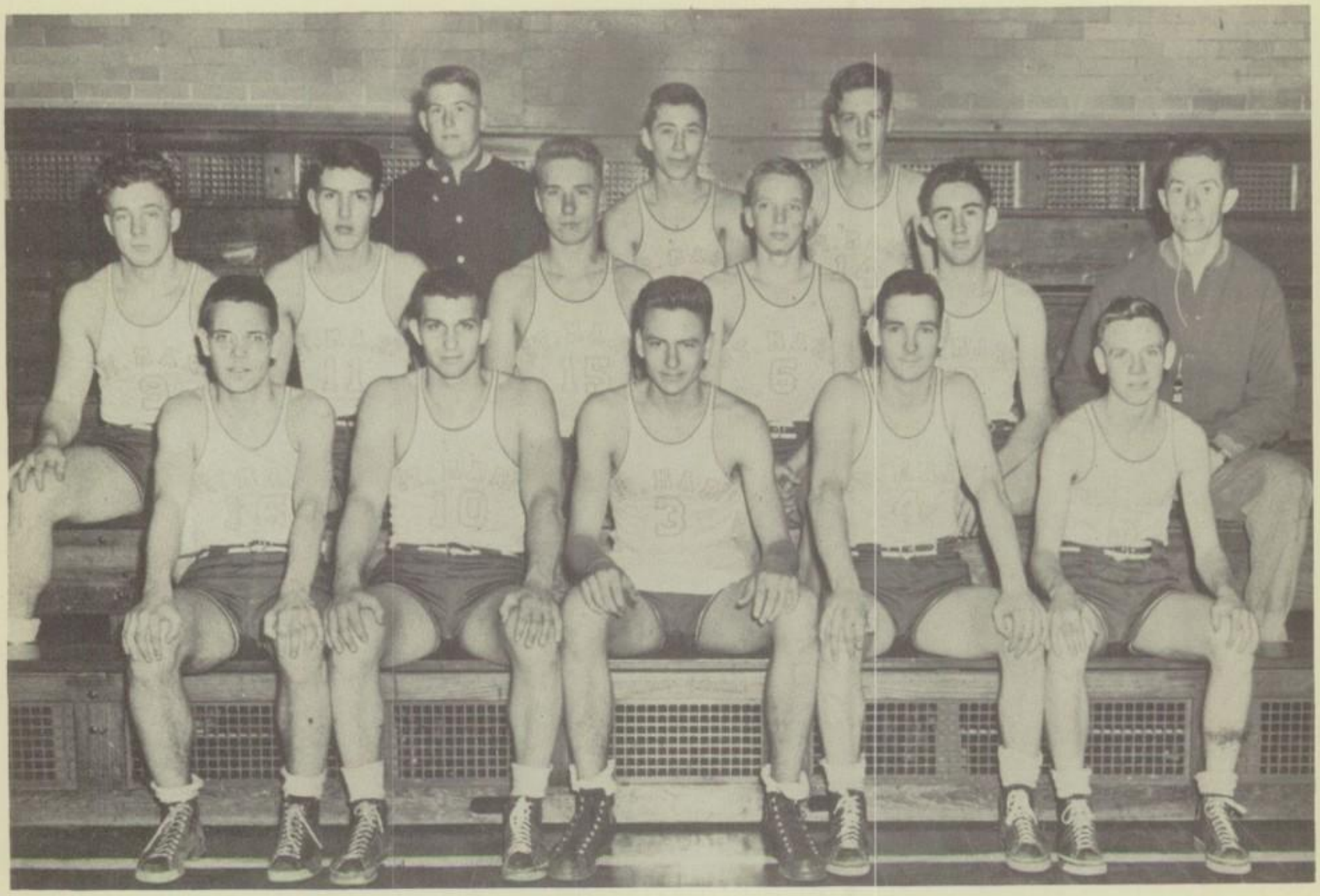
Coach Leo "Sam" Kraus



APPLETON-ST. MARY GAME

That dominating, ferocious Appleton High School "TERROR" football squad was purring like a house kitten and was completely tamed by a hard fighting St. Mary's High School team on Lawrence College field, Saturday afternoon by a score of 13-7. Meeting an opponent that has more than three times the enrollment in high school than St. Mary's, the Trishmen, and Coach Trish, himself, fully realized the mighty task they had to perform if they were to come through with a win. The task was big, but the efforts were bigger, and when the affair ended, the football players and the coach of St. Mary High School of Menasha gained a hard, well deserved victory over the so-called "big city" team of Appleton, and difficult as it must have been, forced that powerful team to bow in humiliating defeat.

Basket Ball



Top Row: Norman Sanders, Bill Zelinski, Bill Laemmrich.
Second Row: Dick Geiger, Greg Pauly, Bill Ciske, Jim Murphy, Bill Suess, Coach Trish.
First Row: Bob Verbrick, Bob Koser, Bob Wessenberg, Ralph McClone, George Kluba.

Basketball Squad 1943-1944

William Ciske—In his Sophomore year, Bill has made a name for himself by his unceasing hard work, steady play, and consistently fine team work.

Richard Geiger—Dick handled the guard spot on the team with unusual finesse for a grid star. A fine man on rebounds and a steady hard player.

Donald Griesbach—After joining the squad at mid-semester, "Donny" soon got in on the swing of things.

Robert Koser—Bob will be remembered for his deadly shooting and incomparable rebound work. Opponents found him a giant on both offense and defense.

William Laemmerich—Bill's height and deadly shooting ability have been a great asset to the team.

Ralph McClone—A shifty and fast man with a dangerous shooting eye, a hard worker and reliable team player. "Mac" was rewarded for his ability by being chosen captain of the team.

Jim Murphy—Jim could be called on to play forward or guard and played the game hard and fast.

Gregory Pauly—Greg always has played hard and his best at both football and basketball and was a dependable and systematic ball handler.

William Suess—Bill's specialty is a long set shot but he has proven his proficiency at ball handling and smart team play.

Robert Verbrick—"Sambo" distinguished himself as an excellent "fast break" man, a smooth player and a hard man to cover.

Robert Wessenberg—The agility, speed and all-around team play combined to make "Wesse" a consistent and heavy scorer at his pivot position and an invaluable team man.

William Zelinski—Zel's development has been rapid and much is expected of him in his remaining two years.

Campion-St. Mary Game

Zephyrs Defeat Campion, 28-26 in Overtime Tilt; Wessenberg is Hero as Fans go Hysterical.

St. Mary's High School fans nearly took their gymnasium apart brick by brick after their Zephyrs beat Campion High School of Prairie du Chien 28-26 in an exciting overtime tilt. The game had all the elements of a basketball thriller—fine play, an oft-tied score, and a hurried shot in the closing seconds of the overtime that won the battle and sent the home folks straight up in the air. With a few seconds left to play, Wessenberg grabbed a rebound and swished it in through the hoop. The roar of the crowd almost shook the gym. The Zephyrs handled the ball like seasoned veterans and did a good defensive job of breaking up Campion's plays.

The rousing and incomparable spirit that backed the winning football and basketball teams during their seasons was generated by the graceful group of Zephyr cheerleaders. Our energetic Father Marx organized the girls into a systematic and inspiring corps. Their job was not easy and the results of their ability will be history in the annals of sport activities of St. Mary. Self-sacrifice and determined practice brought out every ounce of Blue and White enthusiasm in the well numbered crowds. Hats off to the team that backed our fighting teams!

Pat Trish

Cheerleaders

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Appreciation

We extend our sincerest thanks to you, the merchants of Menasha, Neenah, Appleton, and Oshkosh. Without your help we could never have made our yearbook a reality.

Our Renard, that we shall ever prize, is also a tribute to your faith in us and we shall ever be loyal to you. We are sincerely confident that our publication will please you.

Class of '44.

Calendar

SEPTEMBER

7—School opens! Vacation's over. Now the real fun starts? We start too—with a noiseless bang!

8—Shortened periods. They're bringing the real stuff on slow. But we can take it—can't you.

13—Second week of school. By now we're all getting really "groovy."

15—We take full 45 minute periods in our stride. Servers met at 11:00. Can't forget our religious obligations, can we fellows?

17—First pep meeting. Jim Murphy proves to be cheerleader incognito. To top that our team puts Neenah's light under a basket to the tune of 13-6. Some tune!—Eh? gang.

23—Somehow, not quite possible, the corridors are hushed. The Freshmen sneak from class to class, hoping not to be seen. What's up Doc?

24—This is it! The Freshies, poor green things, were mauled by the heartless seniors.—The team squashed Little Chute into the rain-soaked turf this evening. Final score? 26-0. The round, empty circle represents the Chuters.

29—First sodality meeting! Skit and makeshift orchestra were highlights. "Corn-gratulations!"

OCTOBER

1—Pep meeting, band and everything. Dance this evening. Anyone who had a pair of pre-Pearl Harbor shoes, could hobble on one leg and talk above a whisper was there.

2—Our team mauled Kimberly 19-7. What say you . . . gang? Three cheers for the St. Mary Maulers!

6—Pictures taken by the man with the birdie. No Rogue's Gallery got anything on us.

8—A drama (if you will), given by Messrs. MacKenzie and Co. at pep meeting. It was a prologue to Appleton game but things like that just can't happen to us, can they? Well, can they?

9—Top game of football season! Strictly a knock-down and drag-out affair with Appleton knocked down and dragged out on the short end of a 13-7 score. Three cheers for Mac McClone! He's so patriotic, he runs without shoes.

11—Over to Menasha High to get jabbed for T.B. test. Some of the fellows are missing this aft. Could be—T.B. has got 'em already, but we find fortunately that the football heroes are getting a free day.

12—First practice for Living Rosary. This is a pep meeting in a sense, too—religious pep!

14—Dress rehearsal for Living Rosary. It's really a surprise to see all the guys and gals walking around with folded hands.

15—Big pep parade with Father Marx as Master of Ceremonies. Signs, kids, band, cheers, marching—sounds like the end of the war. It really marked the end of East De Pere. Our simply "teriff" team beat them 20-13. Homecoming dance. What a day!

21—Army bomber stunted over school today and the girls nearly fell out

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of their respective classroom windows trying to get a glimpse of the flyer. Bazaar started—unrationed chicken dinner. We eat again!

22—Half hour periods, and then down to the bazaar. Everyone tried a hand at tipping milk bottles and only the fellows dishing out the candy bars cried over the spilled milk.

23—Strange Paper Co. warehouse burned down and everyone went down for a little free heat. Our boys were cold. Result? We lost, 14-6.

26—Father Houdik gave a talk in church on family rosary devotion. We all admired his enthusiasm. It makes you want to go out and do things—or something.

27—Sodality meeting and tne esteemed James MacKenzie pulled another skit out of his capacious sleeves. Everything went ducky and we didn't mind the shortened periods.

28—Everybody out working on Renard ads. Local businessmen dig down.

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29—Another pep meeting. Dance this evening and swell attendance. Never knew St. Mary's had so many students until they all try dancing the same dance at the same time in the same place on the floor.

30—Hallowe'en evening. Same as any other night, only the local citizenry doesn't usually crawl up into trees to sit in their lawn chairs.

31—St. Mary's team traveled to Green Bay and smothered the Bay City conglomeration, 25-7. Our boys played in the Packer Stadium which is Butte des Morts Field with a Don Hutson touch!

NOVEMBER

1—Free Day! All Saints Day!

2—All Soul's Day! Let's remember the Poor Souls and pray for their "free day."

3—These pages were just so many hash-marks on November 3rd. Remember?

5—First Friday and shortened periods. Pep meeting this afternoon in which the team was individually acclaimed. Three cheers for Coach Trish!

7—Last game of season. What a game! Our team buried St. John under an avalanche—33-0. They say the coach used every man on the team and then accepted bids from likely candidates in the cheering section.

8—First real snow. We hope for more of the same but this winter is oh, so fickle.

9—Today we get our reports. If Henry Aldrich can get away with it, so can we. The first quarter is over. Bring on the second. The harder they come, the harder they fall.

10—Seniors inspected class rings and selected one that met with popular approval. It seems that O.P.A. has even got a tax string attached to rings.

11—Armistice Day. The "war to end all wars" ended 25 years ago. Let's offer a silent prayer for the soldiers

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who died then and those who die today that you and I might live in freedom.

12—Forty Hours Devotion. A time of great spiritual benefit.

14—Prayer hour for high school.

17—I.Q. test for Seniors and Sophomores. After we finish we realize the I.Q. means us . . . Ignorant Quacks!
Sodality meeting and all the Daniel Websters get a chance to talk.

18—St. Mary basketball team got off on a good start by beating those poor, downtrodden Little Chuters, 33-24. Mac McClone and George Kluba named co-captains.

19—Dance tonight. Father Marx came up with a hatful of party games. Best dance of the year for more reasons than one. We liked the corn stalk setting. Seemed to blend with Father Marx's jokes.

24—Bob Zehren and Roland Grieshaber combine to supply pep meeting with hybrid corn. Our team took the measure of East De Pere, 34-27 and we're off again. Dance at St. Patrick's and all invited—really smooth!

25—Thanksgiving Day and we misquote Mr. Churchill a little: "Never have so many owed so much to one."

26—Vacation as yet to recuperate from yesterday. No one's complaining about the free day but the dinner is a different matter.

30—Sodality officers met and cooked up a brew for the next meeting. On 16 points a week they do pretty well.

DECEMBER

3—Our Zephyrs muffled the Rockets over at Neenah tonight and the final tally was 25-16. Dance afterwards but the game kind of flattened Neenah's pep.

6—It rained today! At this rate we can expect snow storms on or about May of next year.

8—Feast of the Immaculate Conception, Patroness of the United States and Second Anniversary of our entry into the war. It's a free day so everyone is happy.

13—Everybody coming down with flu. The gag going around? "They opened the window and in-flu-enza."

14—It was 10 below zero and the absentees in school were as good as a thermometer reading. Talk about war plants!

15—Sodality meeting and another skit. Christmas carols were sung in Spanish, German and Latin by the students from said classes. I still think they sound better in the "King's English."

16—These last days the corridors are echoing with music—some of it good, some bad, but all with spirit.

17—The annual Christmas play was given with gusto and a display of finery to do credit to a David Selznik production. Remember the dragon? He gave us indigestion for two nights.

18—Christmas vacation starts and school for this year is over. 1943

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24—Christmas eve. Not very white but still the most sublimely beautiful night in the year's calendar.

25—Merry Christmas everyone! May the spirit of Tiny Tim animate and make this day a happy, blessed one, radiant with a blessing from the Babe in the Manger.

29—Dance! Alumni are our guests. Somebody must have suggested that we "meet Joe at the back door" and somehow the whole high school got in.

31—Many of us welcomed the New Year in. A song says, "When the lights go on again all over the world." In the U. S. tonight, it seems as though they were rushing it a little.

JANUARY

1—A Happy and a Blessed New Year everyone! May 1944, as he steps in bring victory and the "Peace of God" to everyone!

3—School starts and so do we with

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a clean slate and plenty of chalk to remedy that situation.

5—At last! It is snowing! Somebody went around mumbling deliriously, "No, no, it can't be. Only California has weather like this."

9—Holy Name Communion and the boys and their fathers gave credit to themselves.

10—It seems St. Mary's has a monopoly on the Queen's work contests. Congratulations to Glory Mae Laux. May that $10 be a down payment on a postwar Rolls Royce.

14—Dance tonight; the first of the year. Back in the groove again, without the cooperation of the music. Sounded like Tin Pan Alley in a hailstorm.

17—Religion test from Rt. Rev. Monsignor Hummel. Tough! That's all. Tough! "How did you come out?"

18—We are playing a numbers game. Religion tests come in two's, pep meeting once and Neenah with five who lick us 37-25. Blame it on the weather.

20—Exams started. Morning periods today. And this is just the start. They say this goes on for two days.

21—Second day of "trail by fire." Somebody stayed up nights thinking of exams like these. "Woe is me ! ! !"

26—Sodality meeting and discussion. Some of the fellows got that load off their chests and found to their surprise that they had one—and I mean a chest.

27—The weatherman walked out this morning in his best "duds" without an umbrella; so it poured rain and this is January. We poured on the heat and beat Central of Green Bay 40-27.

28—Taking pictures for the Renard today. Some of ours could be used on a poster saying, "Why you should eat vitamin pills."

FEBRUARY

1—Catholic Press Month starts and everybody runs around like mad with pens and papers trying to appear "bookish." Congratu-

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lations, Seniors, on your splendid posters.

2—Candlemas Day and the blessing of candles. Beautiful inspiring ceremony.

3—Feast of St. Blaise and we all get our throats blessed.

4—Our hoop-swishers buried West De Pere 41-15 and everyone, including the fans had a good workout. Speaking of workouts, there was a dance afterwards.

9—Girl's dance at school tonight and the boys walked around looking rather lost up town. How pathetic! Pat Frederick crowned belle of the ball! Now, Gert, get that glint out of your eye—we can't all be queen. Pat was beautiful.

12—Lincoln's birthday. The great emancipator was our greatest wartime president. Let us pray that he guides our president through this, the greatest of wars. Valentine party at Mount Mary for senior girls! Sweet remembrance!

13—Winter festival. Cards, supper, games and tours of the school. Mothers and dads got a chance to meet the sisters which was just "Ducky" for the adult half of the family.

14—St. Valentine's Day. Everybody sending hearts in some shape, form or manner to the belle of his heart. Today the gals ignored the calories in chocolates. All bought a heart in order to do their part. Put your John Henry on it, and get everybody else to sign, too.

15—Class rings arrive! Aren't they gorgeous! Watch the Senior's right hand—ring finger!

16—Campion High School came here and were washed out in a storybook finish in the overtime, 28-26. The lanky boys in white were used to bigger gymnasiums. They kept running up in the bleachers with the crowd and bouncing off both walls!

18—Dance this evening at school. The last before Lent and so everybody went all-out. Came the wee small hours and most of us were all in!

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21—Free day and everybody gets a rest. I guess, maybe, it's because the students are so all-worked out. Time on our hands and did we use it!

22—Short periods and bazaar in gym at 2:30. Everybody ate plenty because starting tomorrow, we hibernate for forty days.

23—Lent starts, let's all resolve to make a resolution and to keep our resolutions. It's hard but you can do it.

A snappy sodality meeting reminding us of our Lenten obligations and, by the way, happy birthday Greg. You are eighteen years old! My!

25—Stations for high school. Are you shouldering your cross?

27—Opening of the triduum of Our Mother of Perpetual Help. Let's rally around her—our mother.

28—Welcome back, Sister Norbertine and we really mean it. We all missed your happy smile at the end of the corridor.

29—Leap year! The day that comes once every four years and then only for 24 hours. On the extra time our team rang up the basket-

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ball finale by mauling Pulaski 43-14. We boys crawled into corners as the girls turned big-game hunters for the night. Good luck Bob, Mac, Murph, Dick, and Greg. We'll remember you.

MARCH

2—Winter festival committee meets to plan spending of the $200 proceeds for school things. That's the nicest thing about money—spending it!

11-12—Our boys played in the St. Norbert State Catholic Basketball Tournament, and although losing to Aquinas, tourney winners, they beat De Padua of Ashland, and St. John Cathedral of Milwaukee to cop consolation honors. Hats off to a great basketball team.

16—Quarter tests. All bad things come in couples—somebody's got his arithmetic badly mixed of late.

21—Spring and the "young man's fancy turns" to what? . . . Automobiles and post war gas? . . . I don't know. Incidentally, where are all the birdies? Maybe they lost their '44 calendars.

22—Father Alphonse, O.F.M. Cap., is giving a retreat today, Spiritual recollection, mental prayer, and piercing observations soulward.

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23—Second day of the retreat. Our retreat master gives us much spiritual food. Let's follow his advice.

24—Last day of the retreat. More introspective work. Our soul is of infinite value. Solemn close of the retreat and papal benediction.

25—Feast of the Annunciation—always a beautiful, inspiring day to students of St. Mary. We love thee, O Mary!

27—Report cards and some of the students go into hiding. We enter the last lap and this is no time to sit in it, they tell us.

28—The Grade Basketball Tournament closed today and we find as we dig ourselves out of the pop-bottle swinging mob that St. Patrick's won and the St. Mary five clung grimly to second. Aw, it runs in the family.

29—Sodality meeting. Vocation play is presented to the Sodalists, entitled . . . The Divine Gardener. It was most beautiful in performance and costuming. What a wonderful message it brought to us. James McKenzie—the Divine Gardener; Dick Loescher, the Sultan; Hilarian Butrem—Perle, Princess of Amber; Eugene Hickey—the Gardener; Helen Spalding—a religious. Congratulations to you, accomplished actors.

30—Paper drive and what paper hasn't gone to the Local Salvage Committee, the Boy Scouts, the Boy's Brigade, the Brownie Girl Scouts, the warehouse or the International Congressional Committee for the collection of gum wrappers goes into the school basement. How many inches did you bring for the cause?

31—March came in and went out like the lion; so maybe some old philosopher is turning over in his grave because he got his dates mixed.

Varsity team plays the Seniors of '45. What a game! Hats off to the victors . . . 38 to 28. Here's to the varsity. The Minute Man flag was raised and is now flying above St. Mary School. That tells the story. Splendid co-operation . . . Ye students of St. Mary's.

APRIL

1—April Fool's Day!

3—The Stars and Stripes waves high in the breeze—so does the Minute Man flag. Are we proud!

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5—Easter vacation starts. *This* should happen once a week preferably on Monday.

7—Good Friday. The world dressed in black, trees are bleak yet, tiny shoots still hide beneath the ground—hard and cold and a chill, cheerless wind blows. Nature, too, sorrows with us.

9—Easter! Everything comes out with a blazing, joyous rush. It's life, a rebirth, resurrection, renaissance! Ladies come out with new hats. They didn't dare to do so before but now everybody's doing it. What a wonderful day—why does Easter have only 24 hours? Seems to me there ought to be an exception.

17—Dress rehearsal for the class play. They felt a little stuffy in their costumes but so did Shakespeare when he played the part of Macbeth—or did he write it? I don't know. I lost my pocket edition of the Encyclopedia Brittannica.

24—Confirmation for a large class today! It was a long time in the offing but the war is no respecter of time.

28—Matinee! What shouts and laughter were heard in the gym.

30—The Seniors presented the class play to a capacity audience and we gathered from the applause that they weren't just keeping their hands warm. Don't Take My Penny! Congratulations: Ye, Hollywood Actors.

MAY

1—Class play again. Where do all the people come from? I saw Aunt Minnie and Uncle Zeke in the third row and you know, they've never been off the farm in their life. Maybe it was the corn that attracted them.

7—Beautiful, sublime ceremony. We think it very appropriate this crowning of Mary, the sweetest mother of all, by the students in a school dedicated to her. May our Blessed Lady guide us always. "We crown Thee, O Mary with blossoms today."

10—New Sodality officers elected! Congratulations! May you meet with every success as leaders of the Sodality.

14—Band concert, today. What a splendid farewell rendition by this year's band! We liked it. Peppy, snappy, rhythmic . . . perfect. We are proud of our band.

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22—Renards are here. What a joy to put one's John Henry and little notes all over the pictures. Ruin in 10 minutes what it took six months of hard manual labor to accomplish. It just isn't fair—our Union won't allow it, they tell us. They are masterpieces.

25—Exams! for Seniors—intelligent Seniors.

26—More exams! Just more worries. Why does Madison send out such tests? What is it we know or what is it we don't know?

28—Twelve years of school completed and another year spanned, another bridge crossed. Farewell dear St. Mary! Farewell teachers and classmates. Till we meet again. We turn to the Beautiful Lady . . . to her beautiful statue on the grounds and say, "O, Dearest Mother, bless our St. Mary's. She is our school and yours; she has given us something intangible we can only cherish. Farewell! We leave dear St. Mary's but we will not forget her.

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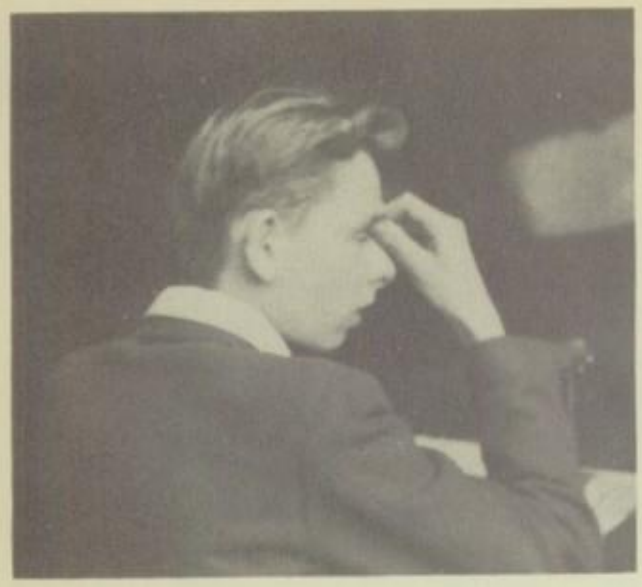

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Kerry, her resourceful boy friend	Jim Murphy
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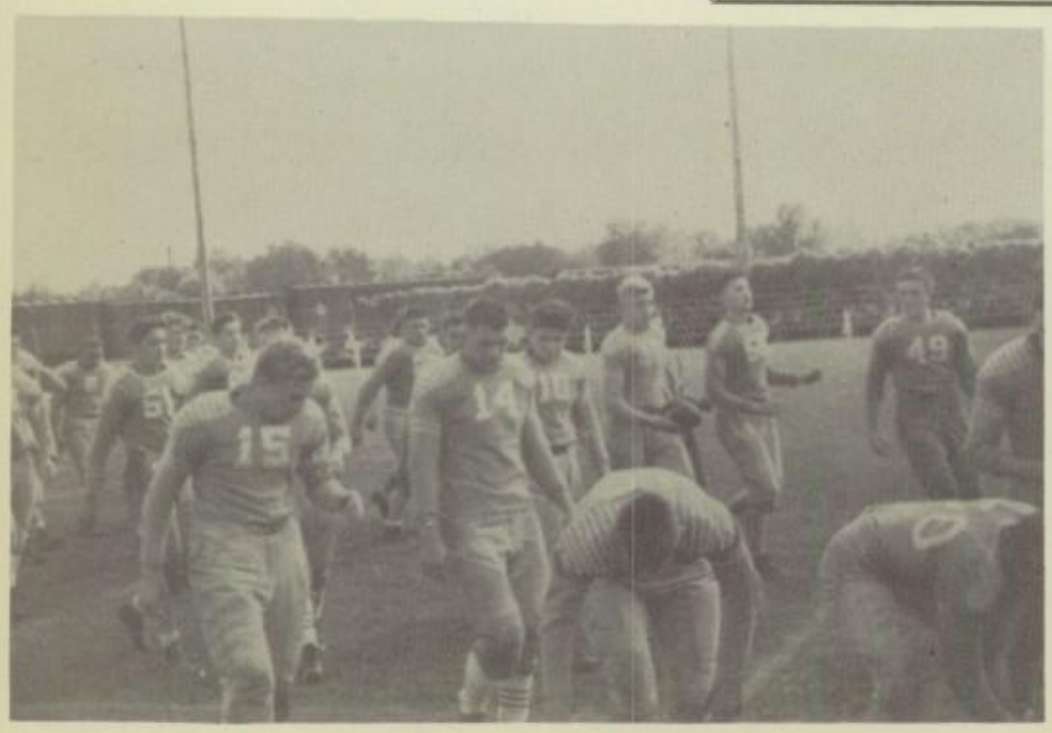

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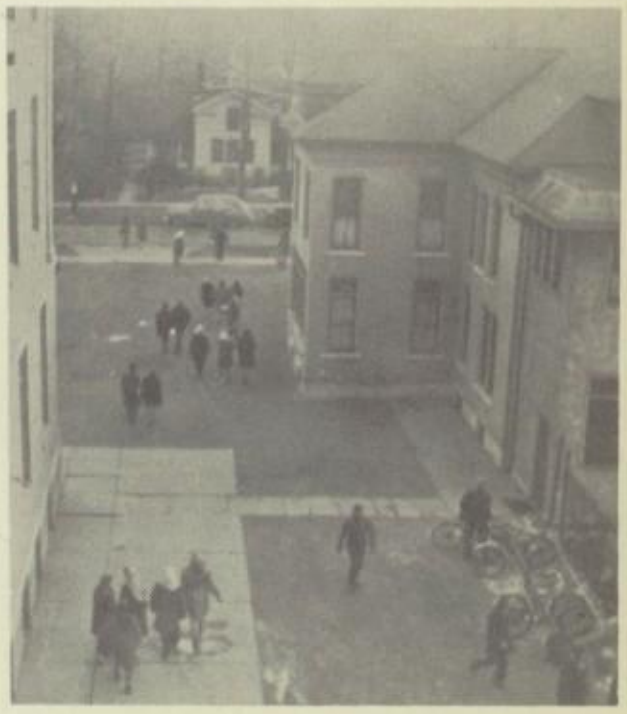

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Our Alma Mater, to you is due
Our loyalty and love;
We ask choice blessings from above.
Sing out a praise for St. Mary High;
Thunder a loud cheer up to the sky.
From your path we'll never waver,
For you we'll carry on.

Dear Bill:
Next year is our last year.
Let's make it the best ever
at St. Marys. Bonus luck
and best wishes to the
History Student; Your friend
Polly; (Pro "Fishabe

Bill,
Just Close to Mary
and her Sons, Jesus.
S. Mary George

William.
My what a name, well maybe the
name isn't so bad but look who they
attached it to. Not only a mother loved
him but other women also.
Frank Lundy

Lots of luck, Bill
See you next year.
Margie

Dear "Brother"
Good Luck - and Success - and Good Health - and
Success - and Good Health - and Success - and
Good Health

Bob Hessenberg

Dear Bill,
Remember the small
time we had in home-
room. Hope we can have
lies so much fun next year.
"Dottie" G.

Best wishes to
George's favorite
Hero, Bill "Lou
Target." Tortura "feel?
Yours Truly
Marge Mark

Hi Bill
Loads of luck as
a senior. Hope I have
you in some of my
classes. "Katie"

Willard Stake wishes you
luck

Dear Bill (Wilbur)

Well Bill, we sure had lots of fun together in our past school years, sometimes we fought but anyway we had fun. It's been nice to be in class with you all the time. I wish you the best of luck in the future. Bill cause you got one from them women for sure. (Think I will make it - 45.)?

Good Luck
Classmate
Tom

(Jerome Lake ?)